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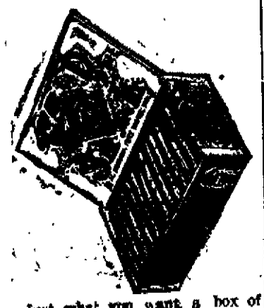
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STILL IN THE LEAD.

Miller Keeps in the Van in the Great Six Day Race.

Moore Gets Another Bad Fall and is Hurt—Record Breaking Pace Continues.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—When, early this morning enthusiasts over the six days' bicycle race reached Madison Square Garden today, they found only sixteen of the thirty-six men who started on the record-breaking task on Monday last.

The second serious accident of the contest had removed Moore from the track. The wheel of the Philadelphian, while he was in fifth place at 8 o'clock this morning, slipped on a turn and Moore fell over the handle bars. He struck his head violently against one of the uprights of the rail and lay unconscious on the track. At first it was thought that Moore was dead. An ambulance surgeon put the fears of the spectators at rest and it was found that Moore's injuries consisted of a bad cut on the head and a strain to the chord on the right side of the neck. He had ridden 1,489 miles when he fell.

Although Miller had a lead of sixty-eight miles at 9:15 a. m., it was anybody's race. Both Miller and Rice, the Wilkesbarre boy, who has followed so closely on his heels, showed painful evidences of the heart-breaking pace they had maintained since Monday. Miller's trainers feared for sometime today that their man's mind was giving way. The sleep which would put him right is an impossibility, for the pursuing Rice would then cut down his lead. Rice, too, harrassed by the fear of Rivierre, and urged by the hopes of overhauling Miller, dare not sleep. Of the first three men, Rivierre looked by far the best conditioned. Teddy Hale is among the men who, the experts say, is certain to last to the end. He had smashed his own record of last year when he completed his one hundreth hour today.

Schinner's eyes are in bad shape and unless they get better his trainers say that he will have to quit. Pierce, who is suffering from his wrenched arm, Gannon, Beacom and Enterman plodded away gamely. They will probably finish in about the same positions they have now. Kinz claims to be very strong and he expects to go up several pegs. Gray and Johnson are down at the end, and they will probably remain there. The colored man is a source of annoyance to the other riders, as he is continually in their way because of his slow riding. Miller, who left the track at 9:20 a. m., returned at 9:55. Moore's trainer at 10:30 says he will be on the track again in about two hours, but he does not think the Philadelphian can finish after the accident.

DAY'S DEATH LIST.

George Julian Harney Dies at Richmond.

Charles Fleischman, the Noted Distiller, Stricken Down—A Judge and a Publisher Called.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—George Julian Harney, the Chartist leader, died at Richmond yesterday. He formerly conducted a newspaper in New York and his second wife taught school in Boston, Mass.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 10.—The Hon Charles Fleischmann died at 4:30 a. m. today at his home in Avondale from paralysis. The stroke, which was the second, came at 2:30 Thursday morning and he never gained consciousness. Mr. Fleischman was born in Hungary in 1834 and came to America in 1866, and to Cincinnati in 1868. The foundation of his great fortune was laid by the invention of patented machinery for use in distilleries.

This was followed by utilizing a bye-product in distilling for the manufacture of compressed yeast. His business interests were various and manifold. Until recently he was president of the Commercial Tribune company. He was also president of the Market National bank. He had an extensive interest in the turf, and was the employer of the famous jockey, Tod Sloane. Mr. Fleischmann served two terms as senator of Ohio from this district. He held a number of offices, such as fire commissioner and trustee for various associations and societies. His wife and two sons, Julius and Max, and one daughter, Mrs. C. R. Holmes, survive him.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Judge Asa W. Tenney, of the United States district court, died at his home in Brooklyn today. Judge Tenney was born in Dalton, N. H., and was graduated from Dartmouth college in the class of '59. In 1873 President Grant appointed him United States district attorney for the eastern division of New York. President Hayes and Garfield each reappointed him to that position. In September last he was appointed by President McKinley United States district judge.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Dec. 10.—Edward H. Phelps, fifty-five years of age, died today. Until a few years ago Mr. Phelps was the principal stockholder in the Phelps Publishing company, publishers of the "Springfield Homestead," "New England Homestead," "Farm and Home," "The American Agriculturist," and other periodicals.

William H. Tagtmeyer, of 77 West Superior street, gave a stag party last evening at which there were sixteen guests. A portion of the evening was devoted to progressive pedro, John Doyle and Thomas Below winning the first and booby prizes in the order named. During the evening Mr. Below sang "Behind the Clouds" in a manner which elicited the applause of his hearers.

BOTH BARRELS.

Premature Discharge of a Gun Held by Charles Rekers.

Miraculous Escape With His Life, But Receives Injuries—Mishap on a Hunting Trip.

Charles Rekers, of Ben Rekers' tailoring establishment, started out on a shooting expedition the other day and he came so near reaching the hunting grounds that don't exist on this mundane sphere that he found it necessary to return home last evening with one arm in a sling. Mr. Rekers was with a party of nimrods near Arcola, yesterday, when in climbing a fence his gun was accidentally discharged, thes ame time. barrels going off at once. The gun fell in such a way that the hammers caught on his right arm, just above the elbow, and the sharp edges of the steel lacerated the flesh, causing a very painful wound, which Dr. McOscar dressed last evening. Just how he happened to escape the business end of the weapon he cannot explain, and it makes the chills creep up and down his spine to think of it. The rest of the party with whom Mr. Rekers was hunting are camping out near Arcola. They have been successful in their quest for game.

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Special prices on ladies and children's gloves tomorrow.

Visit our hosiery and underwear counter tomorrow, always special prices for Saturday's trade.

Calicos in blue and white, black and white, grey and white, red and white and medium dark colors, 4c per yard for tomorrow.

Yard wide unbleached muslin, 5c quality for 4c per yard.

Best ginghams, 5c per yard; large line of new outing flannels for tomorrows trade.

100 hemed bed spreads ready for use, worth $1.00; tomorrow, 75c.

Extra large size napkins $1.00 per doz., worth $1.75.

SECOND FLOOR.

200 ladies' jackets, ranging in prices from the lowest to the highest. A sample lot we will close out tomorrow for a manufacturer at ½ price. Grand opportunity to purchase a nice stylish garment for half money tomorrow.

25% discount on all ladies' and gents' flannelette night gowns.

THIRD FLOOR.

We offer our entire line of lace chenille tapestry curtains tomorrow at a 15% discount.

100 moquette rugs, size 27x63, all new patterns, tomorrow $1.99.

100 large size white fur rugs for $1.59 tomorrow.

We show the largest line of blankets in the city to select from.

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Chas. Ehrmann, 339 West Jefferson street, got the $10 in cash at Reuben S. Patterson's last Saturday evening.

LOVELY CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Buy your sweetheart's Christmas present at Kane's. We have beautiful albums from 50c to $10.00 each. They make nice Christmas presents. Fine celluloid comb and brush sets, all new styles, from 75c to $12.00 each. See those jewel cases, fine work boxes, glove and handkerchief boxes, music boxes, collar and cuff boxes, shaving sets, necktie boxes. All new, clean goods. Prices lower than any store in town. Buy your Christmas presents at the Big Cheap Store. Open every night. Kane's, 24 Calhoun street.

Special sale of 50c chocolates at 30c per pound, for a few days only, at
10-14-16 BARCUS, 96 Calhoun St.

Don't miss the entertainment of the Walther League this evening. Hall corner Barr and Madison streets.

Redmen, Take Notice.

All members of the Improved Order of Red Men are requested to meet at their hall tonight at 7:30 o'clock to make arrangements for the funeral of Brother Greek.

New Holiday Goods received at The Fair. 8-eod&w-tf

Silk mufflers, for pillows, at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Miss Mulqueen's children's class in dancing will not meet until Saturday, Dec. 18th.

READY FOR BATTLE.

Important Engagement About to be Fought Near Havana.

Insurgents Have Planned a Formidable Demonstration Against the Cuban Capital—Bribers Hanged.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—A dispatch to the World from Havana says:

An important battle is expected hourly. The insurgents have planned the most formidable demonstration against Havana for a year. General Paredas has started from this city with strong columns of troops to meet the Cubans. Senor Canalejas, the confidential agent of the Spanish government, went with him to ascertain the real condition of Havana province.

Gen. Maysia Rodrigeuz, with the combined Cuban forces under Juan del Galdo, Nodarez and Rafael de Cardenas, is encamped on La Luisa plantation, near Guira de Melina, about twenty miles south of here, on the railway to Pinar del Rio. He has fully 1,000 men who are well armed and he is said to have a Hotchkiss rapid firing cannon. The topography of the country about Guira de Melina is favorable to the Spanish troops.

Emilio Collazo hanged Antonio Rodriguez Rivera and the negro Osman. They went to Collazo with money and a proposition to lay down his arms, accepting autonomy. A note was pinned on the breasts of the hanged men announcing that any one coming on a similar mission would meet a like fate.

It is reported authoritatively that on Sunday the Spanish guerrilas of Caimanera, near Guantanamo, deserted to the insurgent leader, Rodriguez, with $14,000, 52,000 cartridges and their arms. They were supposed to have numbered about fifty men.

Juan Del Gados party lately attacked Santiego de Las Vegas near Havana. The place had three companies of guerrillas and an infantry column. There was a hot fight for three hours. The insurgents did not enter the town. The Spanish losses were heavy; those of the rebels are not known.

The latest reports of the late reports in Pinar del Rio province show that the Spanish losses were greater than was claimed. The dead or wounded include one colonel, one major, seven captains, eleven subordinate officers and seventy-four privates. Most of the wounded will die. The rebel loss was fourteen. The rebels really used explosive bullets. Their agents here admit it.

CUBAN REFUGEES

Starving by Hundreds in New York City.

Twenty Thousand Fled to the United States to Escape the Horrors of Weyler's Policy and They Are Penniless.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—The Journal and Advertiser says: Weyler's policy of extermination that he called reconcentration, has resulted in an enormous influx of Cubans into New York. Hundreds, if not thousands of them are dying of hunger here. The number of these refugees is variously estimated at from 12,000 to 20,000. Perhaps the great majority are absolutely without means. There are men and women among them who were worth hundreds of thousands of dollars before the war began, but who are now penniless. Some of these are working as waiters, porters or seamstresses. Emillio Argramonte, president of the Marti Charity association, says that many of them have actually died from starvation, and that the majority have preferred to live quietly in misery rather than let their desperate wants be known to those who could help them, but who have in the past known them to be people of wealth, influence and refinement.

DISAPPOINTED.

To all those who were disappointed in not being able to secure a pair of our Three Dollar Shoes for $1.98, last Saturday, we will give another opportunity tomorrow, (Saturday.) We will sell all our Ladies' $3.00 Shoes for $1.98, and all Men's $3.00 Shoes for $1.98.

These are all genuine $3.00 Shoes, guaranteed to be just as represented.

Remember, the price is only $1.98, and will be sold on Saturday only.

Also, one hundred and seventy pairs of Misses' and Children's Shoes, worth $1.50, at $1.00.

Positively only one pair to a customer.

TREFHEWAY BROS.,
No. 118 Calhoun St.

Notice, I. O. O. F.

Harmony lodge No. 19, I. O. O. F., December 30th, 1897, will elect five trustees for the ensuing year.
A. D. RENSBERGER, N. G.
10-17-24 J. M. STUDER, Sec.

Wayne council, No. 302, Catholic Benevolent legion, has elected officers as follows: The Rev. J. H. Oechtering, spiritual director; M. H. Ankenbruck, president; Jos. Disser, vice president; Louis Boess, orator; A. B. Luley, secretary; Wm. C. Woehnker, collector; Jos. F. Aman, treasurer; Jacob Hartman, chancellor; Henry Thollen, marshal; H. H. Burlager, guard; F. P. Luley, Frank Heit and Frank H. Woehnker, trustees; M. H. Ankenbruck, representative; Jos. P. Disser, alternate. The above elected officers will be installed the 12th of January, on which occasion a supper will be served, as the committee appointed for this occasion promises to give all comrades a good time.

AN OLD CHARTER.

After Years of Uselessness Serves to Valuable Ends.

Business of the Fort Wayne Fire Insurance Company Purchased by a Chicago Syndicate for $100,000.

A deal has just been closed by which the charter and the business of the Fort Wayne Fire Insurance company passes into the hands of a Chicago syndicate, which assumes control of the affairs of the company at once.

The history of the charter under which the company did business is as interesting as it is ancient. It was back in 1852 that Hon. Hugh McCulloch, Judge Samuel Hanna, Peter Bailey, F. P. Randall and several others secured the charter from the state of Indiana. Under its provisions the holders could transact a banking contracting or insurance business, or all. This charter was never operated under until five years ago, when it was brought to the surface by D. C. Fisher, who resurrected it from a pile of old papers, and then a company was incorporated to do a fire insurance business under the name of the Indiana Fire Insurance company of Fort Wayne. The stockholders of the company number sixty, three of whom lived in Fort Wayne. The three were Captain J. B. White, John H. Jacobs and D. C. Fisher. Mr. Jacobs was for a long time its president. In 1893 the directors went before the legislature and had the name of the company changed to the Fort Wayne Fire Insurance company, by which name it was known up to the present deal.

The terms of the transfer are that the stockholders, most of whom live at Indianapolis, where the general agency is located, shall surrender their stock and receive in exchange therefore new paid up stock in the new company to the value of $100,000. Negotiations were made through Messrs. Jacobs & Lowell, of Chicago, who are the leaders in the new company. The company will be re-capitalized under the laws of Illinois, and sum of $100,000 will be deposited in cash or government bonds, as required by the statutes of that state. The old charter is very broad in its privileges, for in those pioneer days it was not a difficult task to secure it. That was before the constitution of Indiana was amended in 1857. Under the amended constitution it would be impossible to secure such a sweeping charter, hence its value is easily recognized. There is no doubt but that it will serve to support other enterprises than the one just promoted.

LOCAL LINES.

Mrs. Sarah Zeigler was summoned to Chicago this morning, by a telegram announcing the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. W. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mergentheim gave a dinner party at the Fort Wayne club last evening, for their guests, Mrs. L. Hirsch and Mortimer Hirsch, of Newark, N. J., and Miss Weiskopf, of Minneapolis.

A fine St. Bernard dog, owned by Herman Berghoff, was poisoned by some miscreant last night. The animal was one of the finest of its species, and the owner would not have taken $200 for it. This is the second dog that has been poisoned for Mr. Berghoff.

Flour Down 10c bbl. Meats Down 1-2c lb. Eggs Down 1c Dozen, at the Greatest.

Belle Fort Wayne, best Flour made, $4.70 bbl.

Country Mills Flour, favorite brand, $4.50 barrel.

Pennsylvania Buckwheat Flour, (Simon Pure). This is same brand Buckwheat we sold last year and which everybody pronounced the best they ever used, 10 lb sacks. 25c.

Self Raising Buckwheat Flour, 2 lb packages, 7c.

Self Raising Pan Cake Flour, 2 lb. packages, 7c.

Best Hams, 6½c; Shoulders, 5½c lb.

Fresh Eggs, 19c doz.

Fresh Hot House Lettuce, 14c lb.

Stewing Oysters, 18c; Frying, 23c can.

Turkeys, Chickens, and Ducks dressed to order at

THE GREATEST GROCERY.

OUR CARD.

It Is 240 Calhoun St. Where the New Keystone Store is Located.

The room has been thoroughly renovated and filled with new goods, bought at prices at which we can meet any and all competition. Our prices are equally as low as any house in the city. We will sell for cash and cash only, and we are buying for cash, and will take advantage of the discount there is in the trade. We will have our grand opening tomorrow, the 11th, the store will be open from 6:30 a. m. until 10 p. m. Do not forget the time and place, but call early to avoid the rush. We will be prepared to deliver all goods purchased of us promptly. You can rely upon it.

Yours truly,
A. R. WALTER,
240 Calhoun St.

FOR IRELAND FREE.

Big Meeting at Library Hall Last Night.

Enthusiastic Greeting to Miss Maude Gonne, the Irish Joan of Arc—The Woes of Prostrate Erin.

Miss Maude Gonne, the "Irish Joan of Arc," was given a loyal Irish greeting at Library hall last night. The big auditorium was filled by an enthusiastic audience that, though essentially Irish, embraced all classes of nationality in Fort Wayne's citizenship. The beautiful and talented girl who has consecrated her life to the cause of Ireland's freedom spoke with impassioned eloquence of the woes of her unhappy land and with all the fire and force of a crusader of old, as, eyes blazing with zeal and voice ringing with inspiration, she told the sons of Erin that history must repeat itself, that '98' must come again, and when it did English tyranny would be hurled away.

Library hall was profusely and appropriately decorated for the occasion. The stage was hung thickly with the Irish green and gold and the red, white and blue of Columbia. Above the speaker hung the flag of Ireland, side by side with the stars and stripes. A large number of prominent citizens sat on the stage. Miss Gonne was escorted to the hall by the chosen committee with the Hibernian rifles as guard of honor, while a military band discoursed Irish national airs.

The program opened with a piano duett, Irish airs, by the Misses Connors and O'Brien. Miss Lizzie Summers, in a sweet voice, sang "Kathleen Mavourneen," and on being called back, responded with "Come Back to Erin." Miss Josephine Albert accompanied the singer on the Irish national instrument, the harp.

Hon. W. P. Breen, chairman of the meeting, introduced Miss Gonne. Thanking the audience for the tribute its numbers paid to the cause of Ireland and Ireland's lovely advocate, Mr. Breen paid a glowing tribute to woman, who had ever been foremost in all great movements for the rights of humanity, being especially eloquent in extolling the grand work of Miss Gonne. A great burst of applause greeted the beautiful Irish girl as she advanced to the front of the stage.

After thanking the audience for the pleasure of meeting so many true-hearted Irishmen so far away from the dear old land, Miss Gonne said there was nothing more beautiful in all the world than the patriotic devotion of the Irish to the fair motherland. Miss Gonne said she was always proud to reflect upon the great part borne by her countrymen in the building up and the greatness of the American republic. Miss Gonne said the history of the Irish, their centuries of struggle, had made them lovers of liberty and haters of tyranny. They had learned to utterly distrust the faith of the English, who respected no treaty if breaking it redounded to the advantage of England. She denounced the so-called arbitration treaty between England and the United States as a scheme of England to secure as her ally the powerful American republic and called upon Irish Americans and all other citizens of the United States to oppose the treaty. She said:

"Many noble-minded Americans a year ago supported the treaty of arbitration with England, who now think differently of it. England would have no treaty with America if she dared to go to war with America. But a treaty with America puts England in a position to make war on other nations, as the closing up of the Suez canal would leave her only method of rapid transportation to the east by way of America. She could then withdraw her navy from the western seas, for an arbitration treaty, such as England wants, is nothing less than a treaty of alliance. This is the way European countries view that proposed compact.

"And to us in Ireland," said Miss Gonne, "it would be a sad sight to see America, the land of generous thought, of perfect freedom, become the ally of England, the very living incarnation of old world feudalism, tyranny and oppression."

Miss Gonne told of the process of gradual extermination of the Irish nation as the fruits of English tyranny, starvation accomplishing what bayonets had not. She reviewed the Irish rebellion of 1798 and the inhuman war waged at that time on the Irish people. Then she recounted graphically the fearful things of which she had been a witness, the evictions of helpless peasants and the burning of their thatched roofs over their heads. She then spoke of the great gathering of Irish from all parts of the world to be held in Ireland next year, the centenary of the uprising of 1798, and urged the attendance of all who might find it possible to be there. As Miss Gonne concluded she was given a very demonstrative ovation.

Mrs. M. F. Belger and E. J. Lennon sang "When Ireland Belong to the Irish Again," and Mr. Breen introduced James Egan, who for eleven years was in an English bastile, a political prisoner. Mr. Egan's recital of the horrors of the lives of political prisoners in England was harrowing. He told of the atrocities which had killed many and had driven many others insane, among the latter being Dr. Gallagher and Dr. Whitehead, citizenso of the United States.

A violin solo by Miss Garvey accompanied by Miss MacDougall on the piano followed and Chairman Breen then read resolutions protesting against any arbitration with England and declaring the independence of Ireland. Another set of resolutions was read denouncing England's treatment of Irish political prisoners. Both sets of resolutions were adopted amid much enthusiasm. After the meeting an informal reception was held on the stage and hundreds of persons embraced the opportunity to greet Miss Gonne and Mr. Egan personally.

BAD SMASH-UP.

Team Owned by Fred Boltz Goes on a Tear.

Patrol Box Upset, Trees Uprooted and Buggy Reduced to Kindling Wood.

South Lafayette street people were thrown into a panic yesterday afternoon by a runaway team, which left a trail of destruction for a distance of several squares. Fortunately nobody was injured. The team had been left standing in the yards of Rhinesmith & Simonson by the owner, Fred Boltz, and the horses were tied to a post. Something frightened them and caused them to break their fastenings and run away, dragging the buggy after them. Between the railroad crossing and Lewis street the animals kept the middle of the thoroughfare, but at the intersection of Lewis and Lafayette a patrol box was upset and a little farther along a number of shade trees gave way to the avalanche. The buggy stood the test pretty well, but finally went to pieces. The horses were caught.

SOLD OUT.

Wayne Baking Company's Plant in New Hands.

Deal Closed With the New York Biscuit Company, the Purchase Price Being $20,000.

The New York Biscuit company has bought out the plant of the Fort Wayne Baking company, at the corner of Harrison and Pearl streets, the purchase price being $20,000. The New York Biscuit company is a mammoth concern and controls plants of a similar kind all over the country. John B. Franke, secretary of the Wayne Baking company, will be retained as manager, and Daniel Riley, the head baker, will remain in the same capacity under the new company.

NEXT WEDNESDAY EVENING,

Dec. 15, Occurs the Distribution.

The Grand Piano May be Yours—Do not Fail to Participate—A Few Days Remaining.

Tickets Given Free With Each Dollar Purchase—Bee Hive Dry Goods House.

Every jacket sold tomorrow ¼ off regular price.

$10.00 blouse jackets for $5.00. Silk lined electric seal collarettes; silk lined, very full sweep, at $1.50 each.

Entire stock of flannel waists, velvet waists, French flannel waists, worth up to $2.50, at 75c to close out.

150 eiderdown dressing sacques worth $1.25, at 78c each.

GREAT STOCK OF HOLIDAY WEAR.

Dolls, an immense variety; onyx tables, Turkish tables, cut glass and imported china, celluloid and leather novelties, purses, Boston bags and chatelains, cushions, covers, Japanese screens.

The great holiday emporium.
BEE HIVE DRY GOODS HOUSE.

MEN'S OVERSHIRTS.

Underwear, White Shirts at The Bell.

Regular men's 50c overshirts at 39c.

Regular men's fleece lined overshirts in blue, black, tan and grey, at 48c.

Men's regular 35c underwear at 22c.

Men's extra heavy fleece lined underwear at 45c.

Men's camelshair underwear at 47c.

Men's regular 75c white laundried shirts, sizes 14 to 18, 48c.

Men's regular 50c white unlaundried shirts, sizes 14 to 18, 33c.

Boys' laundried white shirts, sizes 12 to 14, regular 75c shirts, at 47c.

Men's white laundried shirts, regular $1.00 shirt, at 74c.

THE BELL,
18 Calhoun St.

This is an Opportunity of a Life Time.

My entire stock of toys, iron wagons, velocipeds, iron trains, iron toys of all kinds, drums, dolls, pianos, tool chests, books, games, banks, toy trunks, toy dishes and 10,000 articles must go. On and after Monday, Dec. 6, all 10c articles will be sold for 5c at No. 9 East Main St.

TEMPLE OF ECONOMY,
4tf A. R. HILLS.

HEADED THIS WAY.

Horse Thieves Supposed to be Journeying Hence.

Superintendent Gorsline Preparing to Give Them a Warm Welcome—Happenings in Police Circles.

Superintendent Gorsline today received a telegram from the authorities at St. John's, Mich., advising him of the departure for Fort Wayne of horse thieves who have in their possession a team and wagon belonging to a leading citizen of St. John's. Mr. Gorsline delights in entertaining these kind of fellows and if they should arrive it is sure to follow that they will be taken care of.

BURGLAR FOILED.

Last evening a burglar tried to effect an entrance into the residence of Clarence S. Smith, at the corner of Jefferson and Rockhill streets. He had climed to the roof of the kitchen and had raised a window a few inches when his presence was discovered. He escaped when the alarm was given. The officers think that one man is responsible for the several cases of porch climbing reported lately.

NOTES.

Two train jumpers were let go by the mayor today.

MAD MAN'S FRENZY.

Joseph Traut Becomes Violent and is Locked Up.

Shatters the Wooden Cot in His Cell and Threatens to Kill People—A Sad Case.

Joseph Traut, the ex-clothing clerk who had an attack of mental derangement last Saturday, had another outbreak last night. He ran hatless from his home, 176 East Washington street, and gained admission to the home of Dr. J. H. Kappel, where, in frenzied tones, he asked for a knife. Mrs. Kappel fled in terror to another part of the house and Dr. Kappel rushed to the room and subdued the fellow until the police came. Traut was taken to the station and locked up. During the night he amused himself by shattering his wooden cot and driving splinters into the lock of the cell door so as to give him security from the attacks of a hoodoo, which, he said, was lying in wait for him. Later he changed his mind and wanted to get out so that he could "cut off the heads of the police." Not a man on the force could be found who wanted his head lopped off in that manner. They preferred to have it done in the good old way by the board of safety, if it had to be done at all.

This morning Traut was taken to jail, where he will remain until a commission in lunacy passes upon his case. The man's condition is pitiable as he was only married a few weeks ago to a young lady, Miss Schuler, of St. Joe township. He has lately been employed in the picture canvassing business.

TOYS! TOYS! TOYS!

The place to buy them is at Kane's. Dolls in endless variety. Lovely Bisque Dolls, best grade, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and up. Doll Heads that are beautiful from 10c up to $2.50 each. Metal Doll Heads, something new; see them. The Best Steel Wheel Doll Cabs in town from $1.00 up. Skates, all sizes; Drums, Desks, Toy Trunks, Tool Boxes, Chairs, Cradles, Hobby Horses, Sleighs, Iron Wagons with Steel Wheels, Wheelbarrows, Carts, Games, Parcheesi, 78c; Double Hobby Horses, 65c. Ours is the only big show in town and prices are lower than the fake sales. Buy your Toys at Kane's, 24 Calhoun street.

A Desirable Present For Your Boy

Is one of our all wool Chinchilla reefers, with ulster collar, and worsted lined.

REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

Christmas Candies.

H. H. Barcus has on hand and is making daily, the largest stock of holiday candies in the city. Call and see the display. 10-11 16
BARCUS, 96 Calhoun St.

BOYS' SLEDS

Free With Each Boys' Overcoat or Ulster at the Bell Quit Business Sale.

115 boys' overcoats, with cape, sizes 4 to 14, at $1.90.

165 boys' overcoats, with capes, sizes 4 to 10, well worth $5. We will close them out at $2.40.

185 boys' ulsters, large collars, ages 4 to 18; regular $4.00 ulsters. We will close them out at $2.37.

THE BELL,
18 Calhoun St.

Open Saturday nights until 11 p. m.

Last evening a number of the members of the ladies' auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., induced Mrs. J. W. Cromwell to accompany them to the home of Mrs. Theime, where quite a crowd had gathered to pay their respects to the esteemed lady. Mrs. Cromwell has been the treasurer of the auxiliary since its organization. In recognition of her faithful services the present occasion was made to serve as an opportunity of presenting to her a pair of gold spectacles. She was taken by surprise but acknowledged the gift in grateful terms. The evening was then spent in social enjoyments.

SMALL DOSE OF BALM

Jury Awards Mary A. Meyers $200 for Wounded Affections.

Verdict in Breach of Promise Suit—Wabash Injunction Being Heard by Judge Adair—Court News.

The jury in the circuit court which listened to the evidence in the breach of promise suit of Mary A. Meyers against William H. DeCamp returned a verdict this morning. The young lady was awarded $200, the extent of the damage done her affections as viewed by the jury.

INJUNCTION SUIT BEING HEARD.

The injunction suit of the city of Fort Wayne against the Wabash Railroad company relative to the matter of the Gay street bridge, was argued in the circuit court today. It will be remembered that the city obtained from Judge O'Rourke, last week, a temporary order restraining the railroad from further work on the bridge, alleging that the company had been given no permit to build it, that it had filed no bond and that it was constructing the bridge contrary to the specifications prescribed by the city. Judge Joseph W. Adair, of Columbia City, is presiding as special judge in the case. The city is represented by City Attorney Shambaugh and Hon. T. E. Ellison. Judge Allen Zollars, of this city, and Judge Hannan and Charles Stewart, of Lafayette, are attorneys for the Wabash company.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

Ida M. Knoder has filed a suit in the superior court for divorce from Charles W. Knoder. The complaint says that the plaintiff went to Chicago and was married there to the defendant against the wishes of her mother, who had always objected to her daughter receiving attentions from Knoder. The plaintiff further declares that her husband falsely represented to her that he had employment, and that he gave her no home except with his sister, where life soon became unbearable. She declares her belief that her husband is a worthless man and therefore wants a divorce.

LICENSED TO WED.

Ethan A. Miller and Cora B. Castle.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Oliver Greek Dies of Consumption—Remains Will be Taken to Convoy.

Oliver Greek died yesterday at the residence of his father, J. W. Greek, at 105 West Superior street, of consumption. He was twenty-two years old. The remains will be taken to Convoy, Ohio, for interment and will be accompanied by an escort from Mechecannochqua tribe, Order of Red Men, of this city. The funeral will be held next Sunday.

OTHER DEATHS.

The remains of Mrs. Henry Gocke will arrive from Denver, Col., Saturday, for burial.

The funeral of Mrs. Martha Smith will be held tomorrow morning from the Catcholic church at Hesse Cassel. The deceased was eighty-three years of age. She was born in Germany and emigrated to this country seventy years ago and was one of the oldest settlers in Allen county.

The funeral of Mrs. Sophia Regel will take place Sunday afternoon at 1:30 from the house, 168 Hanna street, and 2 o'clock from St. Paul's Lutheran church, the Rev. Miller officiating.

WITH A RUSH.

Thing & Co.'s Big Xmas Sale Of Shoes and Slippers Opens Tomorrow.

Greater, Grander Than Ever—Bargains Such as Were Never Shown Before.

Men's 75c Xmas slippers in 30 different styles, 49c.

Men's $1.00 slippers, 67c.

Men's $1.25 slippers, 75c.

Men's sample slippers, made to sell at $2.50 and $3.00, fine Vici kid in tan and black, lined with white kid and chamoise, 99c and $1.25.

Women's Xmas slippers, 25c, 49c.

Children's felt slippers, 25c.

Women's 50c ten button overgaiters, 25c.

The best $2.00 shoe for ladies' wear ever made; all the new styles.

99c buys a good pair of shoes for ladies' wear.

25c buys baby's 50c soft sole shoes in all colors.

Men's first quality rubber boots, $1.99.

Boy's first quality rubber boots, $1.19.

Children's first quality rubber boots, 99c.

The big store is crowded with the greatest bargains ever known. Handsome imported pictures given away with a $1.00 purchase or over. See our window display. The Big Store.

S. B. THING & CO.,
No. 32 Calhoun St.
Large Red Boot.

An enjoyable evening may be spent by attending the concert given by St. Paul's Walther League this evening. Hall corner Barr and Madison streets.

Cancer

MR. A. H. Crausby, of 158 Kerr St., Memphis, Tenn., paid no attention to a small lump in her breast, but it soon developed into a cancer of the most malignant type. The best physicians in New York treated her, and finally declared her case hopeless. As a last resort, S. S. S. was given, and an immediate improvement resulted; a few bottles cured her completely, and no sign of the disease has returned for ten years.

CURED BY SSS

Books on Cancer free; address Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K HACKETT.

FRIDAY, DEC. 10, 1897.

TONIGHT.

Revival Services—At Bethany Presbyterian church, Nebraska, Rev. E. J. Bulgin, evangelist.

Wayne Street M. E. Church—Extra meeting, conducted by Rev. Henry W. Bennett, D. D.

China Art Exhibit—Keramic club at Sons of Columbus parlors.

Sale and Supper—Under auspices of St. Margaret's Guild, at Trinity parish house.

Westminster Church—Women's Missionary society.

Sons of Columbus Hall—D. of T. dance.

Trades and Labor Council—Regular meeting.

G. A. R.—Sion S. Bass post, regular meeting.

Lodges—Fort Wayne Encampment No. 152, I. O. O. F.; Fort Wayne No. 19, A. O. U. W.; Maumee, No. 50, A. O. U. W.; Mad Anthony Tent, No 95, K. O. T. M.; Summit City, No. 170, F. & A. M.; Fort Wayne Camp, No. 4,761, Modern Woodmen; Summit City Encampment No. 16, I. O. O. F; Order of Foresters.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week:

Friday evening—The Nancy Hanks with Marie Jansen and Frank Tannehill, jr.

WHEAT, evidently delighted with the good time it started, has gone off on a jag and is whooping it up regardless. Let 'er whoop.

IT is unfortunate for the administration that just at the time the president's message should be delivered the fever for the annexation of Hawaii should be broken and begin to subside. The country seems to be getting over it fast.

THE supreme court has given the "quart shop" a stiff punch in the solar plexus by declaring that such dives are amenable to the provisions of the Nicholson law the same as any other place where liquors are sold. Proprietors of such places have regarded themselves as unanswerable to the laws controlling the retailing of liquor on the ground that they were operated only under government license. The supreme court decides that such places must remove their screens at unlawful hours and cannot sell liquor at any time interdicted by the statutes of the state.

THIS is a big country, and it produces almost everything worth producing. Even in the matter of precious stones it makes a good showing. According to the government report on the yield of American gems, the valuable stones found here include the turquoise, sapphire, tourmaline, garnet, ruby, amethyst, topaz and opal. There are no diamonds or emeralds in the list, but Yankee ingenuity has provided a fair substitute in paste and colored window glass. Nature has been bountiful, and where she fails the ingenious manufacturer completes the job.

COMMENTING upon the arrest and punishment in this city of two commercial travelers for insolence to ladies on the streets, the South Bend Times says: "If the 'gay and festive chaps who are on the road' and consider themselves licensed to impudently accost young ladies on the streets of towns they visit were generally dealt with in this fashion they would soon be made to realize that indecent overtures to young ladies can not be made with impunity in this state. Fort Wayne has set a good example. Let it be followed up in all towns where such vile practices are indulged in. Well-behaved, decent and honorable traveling men will commend such action. It would eventually relieve them of the imputation that all traveling men are rakes, which surely is not the case. But there is a class of traveling men that needs curbing very much. They are 'freshies' of the rankest type. They imagine that every girl or woman they meet and who may chance to glance at them is infatuated with their charms and only needs to be approached to be ensnared and conquered. A quietus should be put upon this presumption by applying the Fort Wayne method in all parts of the state."

Party Lines Broken.

More and more, as the present situation is studied, does it become apparent that beyond the appropriation measures little or nothing is likely to be accomplished by the present congress. Both great political parties are disorganized and divided on great questions, but the republicans are in much the worse shape and the more embarrassed because they are responsible for such legislation as shall be enacted or fail to be enacted. William E. Curtis, in the Chicago Record, points out the situation with much clearness. He says:

"There was never a time when party obligations were so little regarded in congress and party discipline so lax. Formerly the platform of a national convention was the creed of politicians, and those who did not follow its doctrines were not considered good party men. Mr Sumner, Mr Schurz, Mr Trumbull and others, for example, were read out of the republican party twenty-five years ago because they would not observe the obligations imposed by the platform of that organization and sustain the policy of the president. But today we have the speaker of the house of representatives leading the opposition to one of the chief features of the republican program—a measure demanded by the national convention and earnestly advocated by the president. He is followed by Mr. Dingley, the recognized leader on the floor of the house; Mr. Hoar and Mr. Morrill, two of the oldest and most influential members of the president's party in congress, and others, who do not hesitate to declare publicly their opposition to one of the most important issues that party is pledged to support. There is an even greater difference of opinion and a wider division on civil service reform and the Cuban and currency questions.

"The democrats are equally divided, although it must be acknowledged that the discipline in that party is better than that of their opponents. But they are not in power and their factional differences are therefore not so conspicuous."

The "chief measure" to which Mr. Curtis refers is the annexation of Hawaii. It does not now seem at all probable that the republican party will be able to fulfill its platform pledge, in view of the powerful opposition that has developed among the republicans in congress to this measure.

FREE! FREE!!

A Boys' Sled Free With Each Boys' Suit,

At The Bell's Quit Business Sale.

150 boys' $4.00, $3.50 and $3.00 single breasted suits, ages 4 to 7, at 98c

212 boys' double breasted $3.00 and $3.50 suits, ages 4 to 14, at $1.48.

115 boys' double breasted $4.00 to $4.50 suits, ages 4 to 14, at $1.98.

127 boys' double breasted $5.50 and $5.00, suits ages 4 to 14, at $2.37.

THE BELL,
18 Calhoun St.

Open Saturday until 11 p. m.

REAL ESTATE SALES

Reported by the Driebelbiss Abstract Company.

Daniel and Elizabeth Bottenberg to John P. Bottenberg, undivided half, north half, northwest quarter, section 34, township 29, range 15 east, containing 80 acres, for $1,250.

The Tri-State Building and Loan association to Otto G. Klinkenberg, lot 6, Association sub-division, for $16,200.

The Tri-State Building and Loan association to Sarah J. and Carolina M. King, lot 5, Association subdivision, for $14,200.

Mary and Paul Koehler to W. B. Phillips, lot 45, Romy's sub-division, for $1,200.

The Fort Wayne Land and Improvement company to William Geake, lots 166 and 185, Lakeside Park addition, for $1,600.

FOR SIX MONTHS.

Semi-Annual Election of Summit City Lodge, No. 36, A. O. U. W.

Last evening Summit City lodge, No. 36, A. O. U. W., held its semi-annual election of officers with the following result:

Past Master Workman—W. B. Haiber.
Master Workman—C. A. Singrey.
Foreman—Henry Brunkhart.
Overseer—H. C. Williams.
Recorder—C. P. Josse.
Financier—C. F. Haiber.
Receiver—Dr. Wm. D. Ruhl.
Guide—Ed Miller.
Inside Watch—John Fredericks.
Outside Watch—M. M. Beals.
Medical Examiners—Drs. Wm. D. Ruhl, C. E. Heaton, Charles Bugk, A. P. Buchman, J. E. Stults, T. H. McCormick.
Representative to Grand Lodge—A. S. Coverdale.
Alternate—C. W. Holverstott.
Organist—C. E. Evarts.

WALTHER LEAGUE.

Entertainment to be Given by the St. Paul's Society This Evening.

The Walther league will give an entertainment at the St. Paul's Lutheran school house this evening. The following program has been arranged:

The Midnight Dream, overture, St. Paul Orchestra.	Schlepegrell
Recitation, George Dunnenfelser.	Selected
Tamber Major, Lebe Wohl, Fantasia for cornet, Hob. H. P. Scherer	H. Lemker, Hartmann
Song, Ohre Quartet.	Selected
Violin Concerto Op. 104, H. Tresselt	De Beriot
Egyptian Midnight Parade, St. Paul Orchestra	Isenmann
Dr. Eisenbart, Piano solo, Miss Hedwig Schrey	Schattenspiel, Selected
Zither duet, Arthur Hartzler and C. C. Gotch	
Recitation, C. Grohl	Das Schwein
Magnolia Waltz, St. Paul Orchestra.	Sherwood

Tomorrow evening begins the bazaar given by the International Brotherhood league, at their rooms, 32 Calhoun street. The proceeds of this entertainment, for such it will be, will be devoted to the uplifting of humanity. The league has seven objects, each is of great importance and broad enough not to exclude any one. Come help in this great work of brotherhood. Your co-operation is necessary.

BENEATH THE CITY.

A Trip Through the Court House Tunnel.

Contractor Schwartzkopf Pilots a Party of Reporters Underground From Jail to New Building.

Yesterday afternoon, by courtesy of Contractor Louis Schwartzkopf, a party of reporters representing the Journal, News and SENTINEL made a trip through the new court house tunnel. It was an interesting but rather fatiguing journey and a half hour was consumed making the short trip from the power house at the jail to the court house.

The vault of the conduit is not high enough to permit a person of average height to stand erect and the members of the party had to amble along in a stooping posture, guided by the light of lanterns. The tunnel proper is complete, but the large steam pipes and the electric wiring cables are not in position. To the unscientific and unskilled eye of the reporter the tunnel has the appearance of a first-class piece of work that will endure so long as any one now living is interested. Under the Nickel Plate track the construction is of stone and very massive. There is no danger that the foundation of the tracks is not strong enough. The construction under Calhoun street is also amply solid and no danger will ever rise from this source. On the whole the tunnel is an honest piece of work and in the methods of its construction speaks much for the wisdom of the county commissioners.

Miss Hartman, of the News staff, was the only lady in the party and pluckily made the entire trip, which for a woman, was peculiarly difficult.

GIRL CHANGES HER MIND.

Henry Lingle Pays for Wedding Dress, But She Weds F. W. Coulter.

CORDEN, Ill., Dec. 10.—Frank W. Coulter, jr., and Miss Edna C. Casper, who live two miles east of town, were married Saturday, December 4, by James F. Wallace.

It has become known that Henry Lingle had been an accepted suitor and that they were to have been married on Tuesday of this week. It is said that Lingle gave the young women money to assist in purchasing a wedding dress.

Lingle was to have met Miss Casper at a friend's home in Cobden Sunday afternoon and it was there he first heard the news of her marriage.

HALF PRICE.

Come early and get first selection of 200 ladies' sample garments we will sell tomorrow at half price. That means a $5.00 jacket for $2.50 and so on--the values all cut in two.

The latest style garments for half money. Don't miss it. WOLF & DESSAUER, 70-72 Calhoun St.

ST. CECILIA.

A beautiful picture of St. Cecilia, in colors, given away with every purchase of 25c or more.

KEIL & KEIL,
116 Calhoun St.

We have the handsomest line of mouldings for framing in the city. Also a large line of Medallions, Etchings, Easels and framed pictures of every description.

A Real Catarrh Cure.

The 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm which can be had of the druggist is sufficient to demonstrate its great merit. Send 10 cents, we will mail it. Full size, 50c.

ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

Catarrh caused difficulty in speaking and to a great extent loss of hearing. By the use of Ely's Cream Balm dropping of mucus has ceased, voice and hearing have greatly improved.—J. W. Davidson, Att'y at Law, Monmouth, Ill.

Joseph F. Parrent has retired from the grocery business at 98 Maumee avenue and has been succeeded by Julius L. Cattez, who will make some substantial improvements in the store.

KIDNEY TROUBLES

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,

Also Backache.

I cannot speak too highly of Mrs. Pinkham's Medicine, for it has done so much for me. I have been a great sufferer from Kidney trouble, pains in muscles, joints, back and shoulders; feet would swell. I also had womb troubles and leucorrhœa. After using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and Blood Purifier and Liver Pills, I felt like a new woman. My kidneys are now in perfect condition, and all my other troubles are cured.—MRS. MAGGIE POTTS, 324 Kauffman St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Backache.

My system was entirely run down, and I suffered with terrible backache in the small of my back and could hardly stand upright. I was more tired in the morning than on retiring at night. I had no appetite. Since taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I have gained fifteen pounds, and I look better than I ever looked before. I shall recommend it to all my friends, as it certainly is a wonderful medicine.—MRS. E. F. MORTON, 1043 Hopkins St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Kidney Trouble.

Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I had suffered many years with kidney trouble. The pains in my back and shoulders were terrible. My menstruation became irregular, and I was troubled with leucorrhœa. I was growing very weak. I had been to many physicians but received no benefit. I began the use of Mrs. Pinkham's medicine, and the first bottle relieved the pain in my back and regulated the menses. It is the best kind of medicine that I have ever taken, for it relieved the pain so quickly and cured the disease.—MRS. LILLIAN CRIPPEN, Box 77, St. Andrews Bay, Fla.

WASHINGTON WAS KILLED!

Some Unpublished Facts about His Last Illness and the Lesson they Convey to Men and Women of the Present Day.

It is not generally known that General Washington was killed in a most cruel and barbarous manner, but it is, nevertheless, a fact.

At the time of his death, Washington was in his sixty-eight year, a strong, robust man. On December 12, 1799, he contracted a severe cold and pneumonia threatened. Two doctors were summoned, and, in accordance with the absurd custom of those days, they proceeded to bleed their patient. Nearly a quart of blood was taken from his veins, until at last he begged them to let him die in peace. He died that same day—not from disease, but actually from loss of blood. He was killed by ignorance!

In these days, any doctor who treated a patient as Washington was treated, would be indicted for manslaughter. The world was moved since then, and there has been a complete revolution in the practice of medicine. Instead of lowering the vital forces by thinning the blood, advanced physicians now endeavor to build up the strength of their patients. They employ only the latest and most scientific remedies.

And yet, in spite of this fact, we find thousands of people endeavoring to improve their health by taking old-fashioned medicines. They forget that chemists and scientists have made great discoveries in recent years, and do not go back to the antiquated remedies and concoctions that were used a hundred years ago. It will not do.

What you, reader, need to cure the headache, dizziness, tired, worn-out and irritable feelings, constipation and bearing-down sensations is some modern discovery based on scientific truths that will strike at the root of the trouble. You are sick because your kidneys and liver are out of order, and you should at once see that they are put in order. "Yes," you say, "this is easy to assert, but what shall I do?" Take the best and most scientific discovery for these troubles you can find. Ask any advanced scientist what this is and he will tell you, Warner's Safe Cure. This discovery stands alone, by itself, and far above all so-called medicines of the past or nostrums of the present. In speaking about it Dr. William Edward Robson, of London, says:

"I conscientiously and emphatically state that I have been able to give more relief and effect more cures by the use of Warner's Safe Cure than by any other medicine attainable to the profession." This is high praise, but no higher than the subject deserves as you will readily ascertain upon using this great, modern discovery.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Wheat—Dec., $1.03; old, 89½c; Jan., 95⅝c; May, 91½c, July, 83½c.

Corn—Dec., 25⅝@¼c; Jan., 25¾c; May, 28⅝c; July, 28⅝@¾c.

Oats—Dec., 22c; May, 22½c.

Pork—Dec., $7.35; Jan, $8.25; May, $8.47.

Lard—Dec., $4.17; Jan., $4.32; May, $4.47@4.50.

Ribs—Dec., $4.20; Jan., $4.20@4.22; May, $4.32.

Do not fail to see our new stock at 240 Calhoun St. The new Keystone is the place.

You Can Be Healed

Of throat or lung trouble if you will try the climate cure.

For reliable information write F. T. Hendry, 53 Griswold St., Detroit, Mich. 5-f9t6-s9t

MACKINTOSCHES.

Rubber Coats for Men and Boys.

Boy's $2.25 and $2.00 rubber coats, at $1.50.

Men's $3.00 and $2.50 rubber coats, at $1.98.

Men's $4.50 mackintoshes, at $2.87.

Men's $10.00 mackintoshes, at $6.00.

Men's $12.50 box coat mackintoshes, at $8.75.

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Open Saturday nights.

Brotherhood Bazaar this, Saturday, Sunday and Monday evenings, 32 Calhoun street. 1043

AMERICAN HONORED.

Professor Perrine, of Lick Observatory Awarded a Prize by the French.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—Professor Perrine, one of the members of the Lick observatory, has received a letter from the French academy of science announcing that his work in astronomy has been considered of such value as to merit the bestowal on him of one of the annual prizes. The award will be made at a public meeting in Paris in the latter part of this month.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Christmas Toys cheap at The Fair. 8 eod&w-tf

Our grand opening at 240 Calhoun St. will be an up-to-date affair. Do not fail to call.

Mothers, be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. May8eod&w

For Albums, Books, Sleighs, Wagons, Drums, Dolls and Toys, The Fair. 8-eod&w-tf

Urbine Conrad, of Fort Worth, Texas, is visiting relatives and friends in this county. He formerly lived here.

LOCAL LINES.

F. I. Brown is at Grand Rapids.

The Misses Swinney are at Chicago.

Ben Ninde went to Muncie on legal business today.

A. C. Katt has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Miss Hedwig Schrey, the musician, has moved to 141 Barr street.

Miss Madeline Meegan has returned from a visit at Chicago.

Mrs. George A. Phillips, of 195 Wallace street, is on the sick list.

O. E. Watts, who has been in Chicago on business, has returned.

W. C. Rastetter has returned home from a western business trip.

Miss Elizabeth Knight entertained the Friday Afternoon Pedro club today.

Miss Lillian Lauferty will entertain the Junior Musical club tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Eliza J. Leach, of 83 LaSalle street, has gone to Louisville, Ky., to visit her cousins.

Miss Schade will take part in a musical program at the University of Chicago tomorrow.

Miss Lillian Matott, of 129 Horace street, who was sick several weeks, has recovered.

Little Paul, son of the Rev. T. J. Johnson and wife, has recovered from a prolonged illness.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Barney Weismantel, of Bluffton, Ind., formerly of Fort Wayne—a girl.

Mrs. S. L. Morris will give a theater party this evening in compliment to her guest, Miss Case, of Denver.

Laurenz Ambruster and grandson, Johnnie, of 136 Horace street, have gone to Brooklyn, N. Y., to visit relatives.

The Clover Leaf Temperance club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Ollie Kuntz, on South Broadway.

Superintendent Alexander Johnson will address the citizens of Muncie this evening on the subject of "Associated Charities."

C. F. Pfeiffer has decided to build several new houses near the Bowser manufacturory next spring. He had three built there the past season.

A. F. Warriper, after two weeks' sickness, is again at his desk in the office of the Old Fort Manufacturing company. He had an attack of bronchitis.

M. A. Webb, after an illness of several weeks, is able to be around. He will resume his duties as traveling salesman in a couple of weeks. Mr. Webb came near having typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Olinger, will go to Auburn on the 18th inst. to take part in a reunion of the Olinger family to be held at the old homestead. The occasion will mark the seventy-seventh birthday anniversary of Mrs. Barbara Olinger, mother of Mrs. Olinger, of this city.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—NOTICE OF ELECTION.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 9, 1897.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Fort Wayne will be held at its banking house, Tuesday, January 11th, 1898, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. for the election of seven directors to serve the ensuing year.

dec10-1mo LEO E. HARTMAN, Cashier.

J. W. Fahnstock, of the Wayne, desires THE SENTINEL to state that it was in error when it stated that he shot 175 quail on a recent hunting excursion. He only killed sixty-five birds. The friend who reported the matter probably knew Mr. Fahnstock's ability to bring down the greater number but was not thoughtful enough to consider that Mr. Fahnstock is one of the Nimrods who do not believe in wanton slaughter of feathered creatures. He knows when he has enough.

A DRUMMER'S SAMPLES.

1,100 Men's and Boys' Winter Caps at the Bell's Quit Business Sale.

150 boys' caps, regular 50c caps, at 23c.

185 men's caps, regular 50c caps, at 25c.

215 boys' plush caps, regular 75c caps, at 50c.

235 men's plush caps, regular 75c caps, at 50c.

315 men's, caps all shapes and colors, regular 75c caps, at 33c.

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Painless Extracting by our own Safe Method.

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The purity of the lily, the glow of the dawn, and the flush of Rose combine in Pozzoni's wondrous Powder.

Babies Thrive On It.

Gail Borden Eagle Brand Condensed Milk.

LITTLE BOOK "INFANT HEALTH" SENT FREE. Should be in Every House.

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A Whirl of Pleasure.

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TANNEHILL'S COMEDY,

"The Nancy Hanks,"

A Story of a Salted Gold Mine.

Three acts of laughter.—N. Y. World. "Hot Stuff."—Chicago Chronicle.

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"IS THE NEW SHOE FOR WOMEN,"

It is the successful result of more than two years experience and thousands of dollars expense to construct a shoe that will fit the foot without "breaking in" and be attractive and stylish in appearance.

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FOR CHRISTMAS.

Roger Bros. 1847 Triple Plated Silver Knives and Forks, $3.25 per doz.

Tea Spoons, $1.25, Table Spoons, $2.50 set.

112 Piece Decorated Porcelain China Dinner Set, only $7.50.

Triple Silver Plated Carving set, stamped 1847.

Genuine Haviland Decorated China Dinner Set, 113 pieces, worth $50, only $34.98.

Decorated Lamp and Shade, 79c each.

Large Gold Banquet Lamp, $2.25 each.

We will Lay Away Any Purchase Until Christmas.

WARD'S CHINA STORE.

IN VIEW OF THE FACT

That people are looking for good things, we have determined to help them in their search. Our stock of Rockers, Parlor Goods, Couches and Christmas Novelties bristle with temptation for thoughtful buyers. Few of us have more money than we need, and to make it buy all that we need, economy is necessary. Our values and prices are calculated to please and surprise every purchaser; it is the unexpected prices that are most appreciated. We carry the largest assortment of Holiday Furniture in the city. A hand sled will be given Free with every $5.00 purchase this week.

Indiana Furniture Co.,

166 Calhoun St., and [illegible]

REGALIA Sp[illegible]

This is the exact size and shape of the Regalia Spanish Cigar. The only 10c Cigar that sells for 5c. Made by KASTEN & KOHLMEYER, 248 Calhoun Street.

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Overcoat Department.

The greatest values we or any other house have ever shown.

KERSEY OVERCOATS,

For dress, ranging in price from

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MEN'S

Light Colored; Covert and Whip Cord Top Coats, for dress.

Reefer Coats

For Boys, 3 to 16 years of age.

Boucles, Astrachans and Chinchillas,

Ranging in price from

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Leather Leggins for Boys, $1.00.

Jersey Leggins for Boys, 75 cents.

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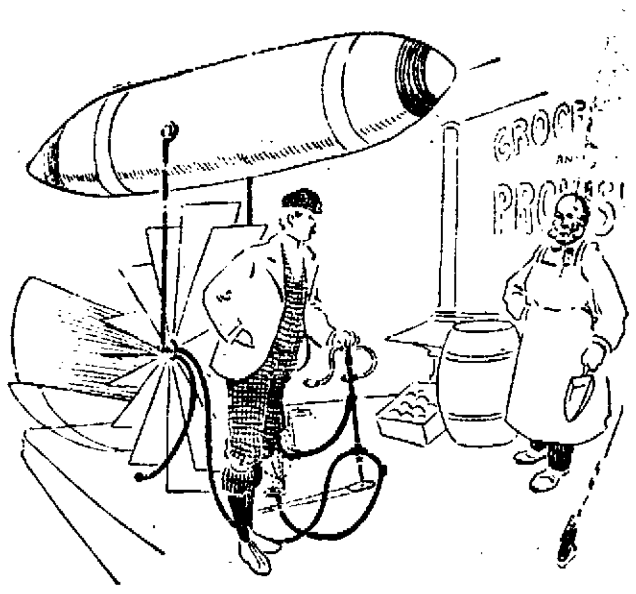

Aerounaut—I must have some ballast for my air ship.
Grocer—Try some of our sugar.
Aerounaut—But I need sand.
Grocer—Well, what do you suppose yer gittin'?

NEW FACTORY.

Frederick J. Thieme Embarks in the Hosiery Business.

Will Build a Shop and Confine His Business to the Manufacture of Children's Ware.

Frederick J. Thieme has commenced the erection of a 40x60 one-story brick building adjoining the Wayne Knittin mills, which he will equip with machinery for the manufacture of children's hosiery. He has ordered fourteen machines from Germany and Philadelphia and when they are ready for operation he will employ between thirty and forty people. The power for driving this machinery will be derived from the steam plant at the Wayne Knitting mills. Mr. Thieme is alone in this enterprise, which does not come in competition with the Wayne Knitting Mill company.

FAST RUN RECORDS SMASHED.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 10.—A record-breaking fast run was made by the Union Pacific east-bound fast mail train, between Cheyene and North Platte. The train, which was the second section of east-bound No. 2, made the run between Tipton and Wamsutter Station, on the Wyoming division, at the rate of seventy-eight miles an hour. From Cheyenne to Sidney, a distance of 102 miles, the running time was ninety-seven minutes. From Sidney to North Platte, 114 miles, the time was 117 minutes, being the fastest run in the history of the road.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

George White, of the Pittsburg planing mills, is sick.

Machinist Ernest Tegtmeyer, of the Pittsburg shops, is off duty on account of sickness.

Capt. J. C. Kencill resumed his place in the Pittsburg boiler shop this morning after an illness of a month.

S. R. Bachter, of the draughting department of the electric works, who has been quite sick for two or three weeks, is getting better and will probably soon be able to resume his office duties.

John Weber, of the Pittsburg round house, will spend a portion of next week with friends in Richmond, Ind.

J. J. Sims, trainmaster of the Detroit division of the Wabash road, is in the city attending court and visiting friends.

The Electric corporation this morning sent one of the large Wood dynamos, a 150-light arc machine, to DePere, Wis.

E. W. Hall, of Spohauer's spoke works, is lying very ill at his home on Fletcher avenue. He is threatened with lockjaw.

Frank Harder, of the shipping department of the electric works, is confined to his home, 383 East Wayne street, by sickness.

Captain R. H. Harrison, foreman of the iron machine department of the Pittsburg car shop, is sick, and Richard Hartnett is acting as foreman.

Fred Strope has returned to the city after an unsuccessful search for work in the east. He has the promise of work here and will remain.

The Trades and Labor council will hold an election of officers tonight. There are many candidates for honors and the contest promises to be a spirited one.

F. Baade, of the Pittsburg planing mills, was called out to his father's farm last night by a message which stated that his sister and brother were very sick.

Samuel Rothrock has returned from Jeffersonville, Ind., where he spent two weeks in placing some electrical machinery in the state reformatory building.

E. L. Field, of the Pittsburg machine shop, fell on the pavement on his way home a few nights ago and severely sprained his back and hips. He will be off duty for several days.

Mrs. Peter Friend went to Lima, Ohio, this morning, to spend the holidays with her husband, who is now a passenger conductor on the Lima Northern railroad. The family may take up their residence in Lima next spring.

Nickel Plate Conductor Spangler has resumed his train duties after a few days absence.

Gus Hobrock has resigned his position as fireman and taken a position in the electric works. He is a machinist.

The Pullman works are turning out new box cars for the Chesapeake and Ohio road at the rate of forty a day.

After an illness of three weeks, Engineer W. Morris has resumed his place at the throttle of a Nichel Plate engine.

Freight traffic continues heavy with the Pittsburg, there being twenty-three trains in and out of this city yesterday.

Joe Tillotson, late of Cadillac, but a former citizen of this city, passed through here Monday evening on his way to Mexico. Joe has legions of friends, both here and all along the Grand Rapids and Indiana railway, where he is best known, who unite in wishing him abundant prosperity in his new home. He was a fireman on the Grand Rapids and Indiana for a number of years.

George Likely, the Nickel Plate engineer, has gone into Southern Illinois to look after some farm property which he possesses.

A lively speed war between the Louisville and Nashville and the Queen and Crescent is very imminent on New Orleans and Southwestern business.

At one time on the Panhandle, on Sunday, between Idlewood and Roslyn, there were three miles of freight trains, there having been a slight delay in the train movement.

The Chesapeake and Ohio has just opened at Clifton Forge a new hospital, provided with everything possible to make it comfortable for sick and injured employes who are sent there to be cared for.

C. H. Gallivan, a Nickel Plate brakeman, who had been employed on one of the short runs out of Bellevue, Ohio, has been transferred to this city and given a through freight run on the third district.

Last Sunday the Baltimore and Ohio company handled twenty-four theatrical toupes, including 553 people. The heavy business in this line has excited comment, it being suspected that something irregular has transpired.

Merch Baldwin, of Trainmaster S. K. Blair's office, is taking a vacation and during his absence the duties of the office will be performed by John Hughes, from the yardmaster's office. Harry Rancevau has taken the vacated place in the yard office.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Porter—a son. This is the first child in the family, which fact explains the otherwise unaccountable exuberance of joy depicted in the father's countenance as he goes about his business at the Wabash freight house. He is the foreman at that place.

Indianapolis Journal; "So satisfactory were the tests between Chicago and New York over the Pennsylvania lines that it is believed that next spring the time table will show a train in both directions which will make the run between these cities in twenty hours. The schedule of its fastest train is now twenty-four hours."

Despite the fatal wreck on the New York Central a few weeks ago at Garrison the road is now doing the largest passenger business at any time in its history. Passenger men say the traveling public looks upon accidents in a very sensible manner, well knowing that a like accident is not likely to occur in many years, if ever again.

Yesterday's Toledo Bee published an old story which appeared in THE SENTINEL two or three years ago. It is about Frank Speidle, of the Bass foundry, who threw his pay envelope, containing $60, into the ladle of molten iron instead of throwing in an envelop containing manganese, which is used to toughen the metal. The Bee prefixes the story as follows: "Sixty dollars in gold is whirling over the Pennsylvania system daily and as yet there has been no attempt by anybody to secure the yellow metal."

The New York Mail and Express says: "A number of applicants have already appeared for the vacancy on the board of arbitrators of the Joint Traffic association caused by by the retirement of Vice President Hobart. At least twenty names are now mentioned for the place. The salary attached to the office of arbitrator is $5,000. The special committee may report its choice to the presidents at the meeting December 17, or it may be necessary as a last resort to allow the two arbitrators to select their colleague. Whatever the process may be, it is certain that the following gentlemen, among others, will receive consideration: E. B. Stahlman, formerly commissioner of the old Southern Railway and Steamship association; Joseph Nimmo, jr., and H. K. Thurber."

FOR MEN ONLY.

Overcoats at the Bell Quit Business Sale.

185 men's blue beaver overcoats, velvet collars, sizes 34 to 44, regular $8.50 overcoats, at $4.85.

115 men's black beaver overcoats, with velvet collars, sizes 34 to 44, regular $8.50 overcoats, at $4.85.

68 men's black or blue Kersey overcoats, sizes 34 to 44, regular $10 overcoats, at $6.90.

75 men's black or blue Melton overcoats, handsomely trimmed, regular $18 and $15 overcoats, at $9.90.

38 men's heavy ulsters, large collars, sizes 34 to 44, regular $6.50 overcoats, at $3.90.

81 men's heavy ulsters, large collars, regular $9.00 overcoat, at $1.90.

92 men's heavy ulsters, large collars, regular $12 overcoats, at $5.85.

THE BELL,
18 Calhoun Street.

Open Saturday nights until 11 p. m.

Now Will You be Good

If I take you to the largest toy store where they are selling out, and they have anything and everything to please the little ones, and that doll carriage for $1.00 is a crackerjack.

Call and examine and you will be satisfied.

TEMPLE OF ECONOMY,
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A. R. HILLS. 4tf

Get your boy a pair of Boots, Mittens, Sleigh and a Drum at The Fair. 8-eod&w-1f

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NOW IS THE TIME

To purchase your Holiday Goods, and we will make it to your advantage to purchase them of us by giving special prices, such as have never been offered before at this season of the year.

SPECIAL SALE.....
OF
Children's Suits, Reefers and Overcoats.

All Children's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, regular price, $1.75, $2.00, $2.25--Now $1.50.
All Children's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, regular price, 2.50, 2.75, 3.00--Now $2.00.
All Children's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, regular price, 3.25, 3.50, 3.75, $4.00--Now $3.
All Children's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, regular price, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 7.50--Now $5.

The original price on every garment, no marks Changed, no tickets altered. Come and see for yourselves.

The Cheapest Line of Men's Overcoats and Suits

In the city, considering quality and make. We carry no shoddy trash, but give you good, reliable goods at the same prices others charge you for shoddy goods.

Men's Overcoats.

$ 5.00. It is not often that you get a good reliable Overcoat at this price, but that is what we give you.
$ 7.00. At this price we give you an excellent garment, whose wear and sightliness can not be equaled.
$ 8.00. A fine, nobby, dressy Overcoat, equal in looks to many garments costing $12.00 to $15.00.
$ 9.00. These Overcoats are really special values, of unexceptional beauty.
$10.00. At this price our line can not be equaled in the city.
$12.00. These garments, blue, black and brown Kerseys and Meltons, are worth fully $16.00.
$15.00. Friese, Kerseys, Meltons, Cheviots, Tweeds, Nigger Heads, the best and largest assortment in the city.

Men's Suits.

$ 3.00. A man's Suit, and a pretty one, too.
$ 4.00. A good strong Suit, not a thread of shoddy.
$ 5.00. At this price we start our All-Wool Suits.
$ 6.00. At this low price we offer 20 lines for your inspection.
$ 7.00. Bargains at this price without number.
$ 8.00. Neat, nobby Suits at this price are beauties.
$ 9.00. Some exceptional values at this price.
$10.00. Fully 50 styles, all real bargains.
$12.00. Nobby dress and business Suits, worth fully $15.00.
$13.50. These Suits are in fully 20 styles.
$15.00. At this price you will find a line equal to any in the city at $18.00 and $20.00.

Overcoats for Young Men.

Our line of Young Men's Overcoats and Ulsters are at one and the same time the most extensive, best assorted and lowest priced line in the city. We offer you numberless real bargains, beginning at an excellent garment at $2.50, and from that up at $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $5.00, $6.00, $7.00, $8.00, $9.00, $10.00 and $12.00. All are really bargains. This is especially true of our $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00 line. Our line of Ulsters is just as extensive and as varied as our line of Overcoats. Your careful inspection is invited.

Suits.

In Suits, as in Overcoats, in this line we have excelled ourselves. We commence our line at $3, which means a Suit really worth $4.50. At $5.00 our extensive line contains many Suits really worth $7.00, while our line at $6.00 contains real bargains that can not be purchased elsewhere for less than $8.00. At $8.00, $9.00 and $10.00 our line is most extensive, and at these prices we have purchased large lines, early this fall, when goods were low, and sell them on small profits. We can truthfully say we can give better values than others can.

Smoking Jackets.

This is our first season in this line, consequently our line is entirely new and strictly up-to-date. We handle the finest make of Smoking Jackets in the world—Beirman, Heidelberg & Co. Price $5.00 to $10.00. All the latest styles only.

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MEN'S AND BOYS' ATTIRE.

Our mammoth line of Christmas Novelties is so very complete that it will eclipse any line ever shown in Fort Wayne. The success of our efforts in selecting such a choice stock will fill our store with so many pleased patrons, that we

WARN THE PUBLIC
Not to Wait Too Long,

Because, first, the choice things may be selected and then the last few days before Christmas our store will be so crowded that it will be almost impossible for us to wait on the trade, as it does not take the Fort Wayne people long to find out where is the best place to make their Christmas Purchases.

Just Come and See oooooooooooo Just Come and See

The new choice line of Men's Dress and Business Suits that we will show for our Holiday trade at **$ 8.50**

The new choice line of Men's Dress and Business Suits that we will show for our Holiday trade at **$10.00**

The new choice line of Men's Dress and Business Suits that we will show for our Holiday trade at **$12.50**

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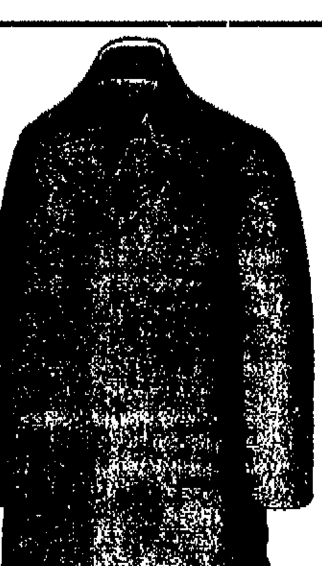

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LENGTH 42 INCHES.
Alfred Benjamin & Co. MAKERS NEW YORK

The new grand values in Men's Overcoats and Ulsters we will show for our Holiday trade at **$ 8.50**

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New grand values in Men's Overcoats and Ulsters we will show for our Holiday trade at **$12.50**

New grand values in Men's Overcoats and Ulsters we will show for our Holiday trade at **$15.00**

Just See Our New Line of

DRESS SUITS

In Sack, Cutaway, Prince Albert and Full Dress, that we are showing for our Holiday trade, at

$18, $20 and $25.

$5 Will buy your choice of about 250 all-wool, honest made Suits, Overcoats and Ulsters, that we have marked down from **$6.00, $7.00 and $7.50** for our Holiday trade.

Just See the New Line of Choice Extra

HIGH GRADE
FINE OVERCOATS

We are showing for the Holiday Trade, at

$18, $20 and $25.

$7.00 Will buy your choice of about 200 Suits, Overcoats and Ulsters, that we have marked down from $8.50 and $10.

THE FACT THAT WE HAVE THE

Only Exclusive Boys' Parlor In Fort Wayne

Has caused us to make an extra effort to supply a new choice line of sensible Christmas presents for the little fellows.

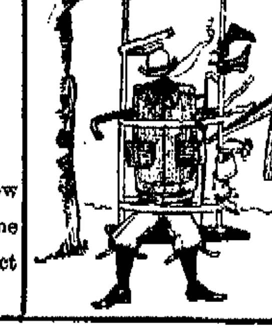
JUST SEE our new line of Boys' Suits from $3.50 up to $15.

Our new line of Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters from $4 up to $12.50.

Our new line of Child's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers which we'll offer for our Holiday trade at $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $5.00 and up to $8.60.

You Will Smile

With pleasure when you see how easy it is to select a handsome Christmas Gift out of our select stock of Hats and Furnishings.



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For Men, Boys and Children.

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WANTED—A girl for general housework. 425 Broadway. 10t2

WANTED—Girl for light housework. 23 Ewing street.

WANTED—If you want money, see "ad" on first page, first column. 7tf

WANTED—House cleaning of any kind. Address 149 Wallace street. 11tf

WANTED—Second hand bicycles at Libbing & Co's, 39 East Main street. 10t2

WANTED—A good cook in a family of three. Mrs. J. J. Wood, 134 East Main. 10t2

WANTED—Gentlemen and lady agents. Call on A. N. Cann, Star hotel, from 4 to 9 p. m. 9t2

WANTED—A German modelmaker desires a permanent position. Address Otto Lisner, 12 North St., west of Wells. 7t6

WANTED—First-class salesman for Lubricating Oils, Greases and specialties; salary or commission. Equitable Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio. 6-6t

WANTED—Private party will make small loans to ladies, school teachers, salaried people and others on satisfactory security. Room 23, Bass Block. 10-1m

WANTED—Horses to winter at the "Oak Lawn Farm," two miles north of the city; rates low; large warm barn; best of care. Address W. B., care Sentinel. nov16eodtf

WANTED—I would like the public to try my Lung and Cough Syrup. It is infallible in case of grip or hemorrhages; an old family medicine of sixty years standing. Call at 35 Fairfield avenue. o6-2m

WANTED—Young men to learn barber trade; growing demand among barbers for graduates of this system; five graduates placed this week at good wages; only eight weeks required to complete; two years' apprenticeship served in two months; we offer special inducement now by presenting complete outfit of tools; illustrated catalogue mailed free. Moler System Barber School, Clark and Van Buren Sts., Chicago. 10t6

LOST.

LOST—Gold chain, with gent's gold set ring with initial "R" attached. Lost between Williams street and Lake Shore depot, on Calhoun street. Finder leave at Sentinel office and receive reward.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—If you want money, see "ad" on first page, first column. 7tf

FOR RENT—Second floor flat of four rooms, on Douglas avenue. Inquire at 47 Douglas avenue. 4tf

FOR RENT—House of seven rooms on East Taber street; modern improvements. Inquire Gilmartin Lumber yard. 4tf

FOR RENT—Oct. 1, suite of rooms suitable for offices, now occupied by Dr. Younge, 107 Calhoun street. Apply at Sentinel office. tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms, with board, at 81 East Berry street, one block east of postoffice and opposite city hall. 11-1m

FOR RENT—Four nicely furnished front rooms, with bath room; gentlemen preferred. Apply at 123 West Jefferson street. 17tf

FOR RENT—Five pleasant front rooms, at 27 Lillie street; gas, water and wood-shed; rent, $5. Call or address, O. Deardorff, city. 2t

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, with board, at Fitzgerald house, 39 West Washington street. First-class service; rates reasonable. n22tm

FOR RENT—A flat on Harrison street, with all modern conveniences. For particulars call at office of L. M. Ninde, No. 42 West Berry street. s-fri-sat-tu-thur-tf

FOR RENT—One handsome furnished room in private family, bath, electric light, furnace heat. Reference required. Address box 3, Sentinel office. 2tf

FOR RENT—House—A fine cottage with 8 rooms, good cellar, water, natural gas and good stable; low rent, corner Fox and Walnut streets. Inquire No. 7 Pine street. 5t

FOR RENT—A two-story brick house, No. 54 East Washington street; eight rooms; also large attic and basement; cistern and city water; artificial and natural gas. Apply to O. P. Morgan. 7tf

FOR RENT—Dwellings, No. 21 W. Creighton ave., 10 rooms, modern improvements; No. 228 Fairfield ave., 10 rooms, stable, bath, closet and furnace; No. 244 St. Marys ave., 8 rooms and stable; Nos. 232 and 234 St. Marys ave., 4 rooms each; Nos. 96 and 125 Franklin ave.; No. 490 Lafayette St., 4 rooms; No. 73 Gay street, 5 rooms; No. 244 W. Creighton ave. and stable; No. 38 W. DeWald street; No. 1 Ruth street, 4 rooms; 114 W. Wayne street, 5 rooms; No. 37 Wilt street, street; 312 W. Jefferson street, 6 rooms. Schrader & Wilson, first floor, 7 Court St. 2-4f

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FOR SALE—If you want money, see "ad" on first page, first column. 7tf

FOR SALE—A first-class road or business horse. Brinsley's Sale Stable, Pearl St. 9tf

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Address ROBERT N. MERRITT & CO.,
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School Teachers, both male and female, as well as reliable men out of employment should correspond with the above or

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dec16d6t-w3t Manager for Allen County.

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You will find there the daintiest and choicest lines ever brought to this city.

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At $1.00—2-button, 2-hook and 4 button kids in all colors, embroidered backs—2-snap Mocha gloves and 8 B Monsquetaires at $1.00, the finest lined kid mitten ever sold in this city.

At $1.25—Elegant lines silk lined Mocha gloves.

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Complete lines of Dents' and Perrins' fine gloves. At all times a complete line of Foster hook kids from $1 00 to $2 00.

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Laundried, put up one in a box; a handsome gift to men.
75c, $1.00, $1.25 to $1.50.

FOR MEN'S WEAR

A fine assortment of night shirts, plain and trimmed.
50c, 75c, 85c, $1 and $1.25.

SUSPENDERS

Made of satin and silk webbing, neatly embroidered.
50c, 60c, 75c to $2 50.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

To meet the great demand, this department had to be enlarged.
Men's hemmed linen, 10, 12 to 25c
Men's linen hemstitch, 15, 20c to $1
Men's initial, 15, 20, 25c to $1.00
Men's colored border, 5c to 50c.
Men's embroidered, 25c to $1.00.
Elegant lines of Silk Mufflers, white and colored, 50c to $3 50 each.

We are the only house selling the genuine Monarch kids, all sizes and shades in stock.

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When did you ever have the opportunity to go into a shoe shop and have your shoes repaired while you wait in 15 minutes, and just think of the small price—Men's Half Soles and Heels only 70c. Ladies' and Boys' Half Soles and Heels, 50c.

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Cost Sale...

OF LADIES' FINE JACKETS.

We have some very fine Jackets and Blouses that we will offer tomorrow at

ACTUAL COST.

Will also offer a sample line of 25 Children's Jackets in fine qualities at

...1-3 OFF...

MACKINTOSH SALE.

We have purchased from the best manufacturer a lot of LADIES' MACKINTOSHES at greatly reduced prices. Each garment is absolutely perfect, and you can return them if not perfectly satisfactory.

$4.50 Quality at $3.00.
$5.00 Quality at $3.98.
$6.50 Quality at $4.75.
$7.50 Quality at $5.00.

A great chance for extra values.

FUR COLLARETTES--An entirely new line of these popular goods. New and nobby styles.

LADIES' PETTICOATS--At special prices for tomorrow. Satins, Silcots, Contilles, Moreens and Silks in blacks and colors.

With every 50c purchase we give a ticket in our free distribution of a Chainless Columbia Bicycle.

DUNN & TAFT.

54 Calhoun Street.

The Evening Sentinel.

FRIDAY, DEC. 10, 1897.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office - - - - - - - - No. 173.
Editorial Rooms - - - - - - - No. 650.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—For Indiana: Rain tonight and Saturday; colder in extreme northwest portion tonight; probably colder Saturday afternoon or night, brisk southerly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Miss Grace Horton, of Bluffton, is visiting in the city.

Miss Ida Bulger has returned from a visit at Hillsdale, Mich.

Mrs. Henry J. Meyer, jr., will celebrate her birthday anniversary this evening by giving a family dinner party.

The superintendent and teachers of the schools of Monroeville were in the city yesterday, observing in the Jefferson building.

Mrs. Arwal Polster, wife of the Bloomingdale druggist, left for Pittsburg this morning to visit friends and relatives for a month.

Thomas Hage, a candymaker for Daniel Myers, of Columbia City, has arrived in the city, having been called here by the illness of his wife.

The Thursday Afternoon Whist club was entertained yesterday by Mrs. W. Kuhn. The first prize was won by Mrs. F. Y. Gross and the second by Mrs. B. F. Carter.

Last evening Miss May Jones, of No. 63 West Butler street, was taken by a surprise by about thirty of her friends at 12 o'clock. A dainty luncheon was served and a most enjoyable time was had by all.

Miss Anna Kerbach entertained the Midnight Pedro club last evening. The first prizes were carried off by Miss Anna Walsh and William Klingenberger and the booby prizes by Miss Hayes and William Weber.

Members of the Ladies' auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A., met at Mrs. Thieme's last evening and summoned Mrs. J. C. Cromwell, who has been treasurer of the society for a good many years. As a token of esteem Mrs. Cromwell was presented with a pair of gold spectacles.

The annual election of officers of Shiloh chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, was held last night, with the following result: Mrs. Susan Clark, worthy matron; J. H. Brokaw, worthy patron; Martha E. Wohlpert, secretary; Mrs. Septa J. Hall, treasurer; Emma Vollmer, conductress; Mrs. Mary Metzner, assistant conductress. Installation, January 14.

Butter, Meats and Flour.

Best Country Roll Butter, 14c lb.
Best Sugar Cured Shoulders, 6c lb.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 9c lb.
South Whitley Mills' Best Flour, $4.60 barrel.
City Mills, Orff's, Bloomingdale and Globe Mills best Flour, $4.75 barrel.
New Buckwheat Flour, 25c sack.
Finest Vermont Maple Syrup, 80c gallon.

FRUIT HOUSE.

HALF PRICE.

Come early and get first selection of 200 ladies' sample garments we will sell tomorrow at half price. That means a $5.00 jacket for $2.50 and so on--the values all cut in two.

The latest style garments for half money. Don't miss it. WOLF & DESSAUER, 70-72 Calhoun St.

New Orleans Sugar Down.

Just received 100 barrels nice, bright, dry Sugar, which we are selling ⅛c pound lower than Eastern Sugars.

Open Kettle Brown, 3c lb.
Refined Yellow, 3½c lb.
Nice White Extra C, 4c lb.
Clarified White Sugar, 4½c lb.

FRUIT HOUSE.

JACOBS SHOE STORE.

Special for tomorrow--200 pairs ladies' heavy mat calf lace shoes, all sizes, at $2.50. Regular price, $3.00. Also 100 pairs gents' heavy calf shoes, heavy calf lined, high tops, worth $3.50 and $4.00; tomorrow at $2.98.

JACOBS SHOE STORE, 17 Calhoun.

For Christmas and New Years Cake.

New Leghorn Citron, 11c lb.
Lemon and Orange Peel, 11c lb.
New Zante Currants, 8c lb.
Good California Raisins, 5c lb.
California Seedless Raisins, 8c lb.
Seedless Sultana Raisins, 11c lb.
New London Layer Raisins, 10c lb.
New Layer Figs, 11c lb.
New Sicily Shelled Almonds, 25 lb.
New Mixed Nuts, 10c lb.

FRUIT HOUSE.

240 is where the new Keystone store is located--at 240 Calhoun.

BOYS' REEFERS.

A Sled Given Away Free With Each Boys' Reefer.

Boys' reefers, sailor collars, ages 4 to 8, regular $2.50 quality, at $1.68, in order to sell them out.

Boys' reefers, sailor collars, ages 4 to 9, regular $5 reefers, at $2.98, in order to sell them out.

Boys' reefers, large ulstered collars, ages 8 to 16, regular $5 reefers—we will sell them at $2.98.

Boys' reefers, large ulster collars, ages 8 to 16, regular $7 reefers, at $4, to sell them out.

THE BELL, 18 Calhoun St.

Herbert Niedhammer is confined to the house with an attack of rheumatism.

240 Means 240 Calhoun St., where the grand opening will be tomorrow.

Christmas Toys at The Fair
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The Pape Furniture company's store will be open every evening from now until after Christmas.

See the complete line of silk handkerchiefs at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Brotherhood Bazaar this, Saturday, Sunday and Monday evenings, 32 Calhoun street. 10f3

All kinds of Holiday Goods.
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240 Calhoun St. is where you will get a nice souvenir tomorrow with your purchase.

Arnold's Bromo-Celery. All business men suffer from headache. This remedy cures it. 10 cents. Sold by Gross & Pellens.

Brotherhood Bazaar this, Saturday, Sunday and Monday evenings, 32 Calhoun street. 10f3

The Climate Cure.

Throat and lung diseases are healed by a residence in a proper climate. Sufferers may learn where to go by addressing F. T. Hendry, 63 Griswold St., Detroit, Mich. n14-1m 9-fri 9t

For a winter suit or overcoat, at the lowest price, call on Schmidt, the tailor, 70 E. Main street. Fit guaranteed. 3tf

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Go to The Fair for your Christmas Toys. A large variety.
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Clothiers and Tailors.

Gentlemen's Overcoats

Made of Blue, Black, Brown Kersey and Beavers; Velvet Collars. Real $12 values; at this sale, $7.

A Better Overcoat

Made of pure all-wool Kerseys, Meltons and Beavers, in blue, black and brown. Sold at other stores for $15.00; our prices $10.00.

A large line of Men's Overcoats for $4.00, $5.00 and $7.00.

Men's Ulster Overcoats at $5.00, $7.00 and $10.00.

Men's very Stylish Suits made of all-wool Cheviots and Cashmeres at $5.00, $6.00, $8.00.

Better Suits, $10.00, $12.00, $15.00.

Working Pants, OUR OWN MAKE, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 to $3.00.

Children's Overcoats at $2 to $10,

Children's Knee Pants Suits from $1.50 to $7.

Hats, Caps, Underwear at very lowest prices.

In our Tailoring Department we make Suits to order from $15 to $40.

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Corner Columbia and Clinton Streets,

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THE BOSTON STORE.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

If you are looking for useful Christmas Presents our store is the place to do your trading.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

New styles for Christmas at 12½c.
New all wool goods for Christmas at 25c.
New all wool goods, 40 inches wide, at 39c.
All 66 and 70c Dress Goods will be sold now until Christmas at 50c.
Special low prices on all Black Dress Goods.

HANDKERCHIEF DEPARTMENT.

We can show you the largest variety and best value in 10, 12½, 15 and 25c goods.

UMBRELLAS. UMBRELLAS.

Ladies' Umbrellas with steel rod and celluloid handles, at $1.00.
Ladies' Umbrellas with steel rod and pearl handles at $1.75.
Mackintoshes for ladies and children at special low prices.
Kid Gloves for ladies in all the new shades at 79c and $1.00, best value in the city. New lace curtains for Christmas.
New Tapestry curtains for Christmas.
New Ladies' Wrappers for Christmas.
Do your Christmas trading at the Boston Store, our Christmas bargains are great money savers.

WM. HAHN & CO.,
THE BOSTON STORE.

Clairvoyant!

50c--*And Up*--50c.

For One Week More.

Mrs. Idella Rose.

The wonderful clairvoyant gives truthful advice on business, love, law, speculation, lost or stolen property; unites the separated; causes speedy marriages; gives names, dates, facts and figures. A call will convince you that Mrs. Rose is the best medium that ever visited Fort Wayne. Hours, 10 to 8. Letters answered that have stamp enclosed.

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Money to loan on Farm and City Real Estate at the lowest rates of interest. We have the money on hand to close loans at once.

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Payments arranged on the monthly installment plan or to suit you.

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Men, Boys and Children.

Silk Umbrellas.
Cane and Umbrella Setts.
Mufflers.
Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs.
Magnificent Neckwear.
Silk Suspenders.
Men's and Boys' Suits.
Men's and Boys' Overcoats.
Children's Suits and Reefers.

There is no place in town where you can find so many nice, sensible Christmas presents as here. Be sure you come here before you decide on your presents.

Sam, Pete & Max,

58 Calhoun St.

The PEOPLE'S STORE.

Our Display of HOLIDAY GOODS, Better, Grander and Larger than Ever Before. Thousands of Useful Articles.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

175 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 15c, all at **10c** each.

250 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs' worth 20c, all at **12½c** each.

100 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 25c, all at **19c** each.

225 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 35c, all at **25c** each.

Ladies' and Gent's White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, at **5c, 10c. 12½c, 17c and 25c** each.

Ladies' and Gent's Initial Handkerchiefs, at **5c, 10c, 12½c, 15c and 25c** each.

Gent's Hemstitched, colored border Handkerchiefs, at **5c, 6½c, 10c, 12c, 12½c, 17c** and **25c.**

China Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, for Ladies' and Gent's, at **25c and 39c** each.

GLOVES AND MITTENS.

Ladies' 2-clasp Kid Gloves, all shades, at **89c** pair.

Ladies' 2-clasp, 4-button and 5-hook Kid Gloves, all shades, at **$1.00** pair.

Ladies' Kid Mittens, at **75c** and **$1.00** pair.

Ladies' Black Silk Mittens, at **59c** and **$1.00** pair.

Children's Kid Mittens, **50c** and **75c.**

Ladies' and Children's Wool Mittens at **10c, 15c, 25c** and **39c** pair.

Ribbons and Fancy Goods

Satin and Moiree Ribbons, in all colors and widths, at **5c, 10c, 15c, 20c** and **25c.**

New Lace Ties, at **25c, 50c, 65c, 75c, $1.00** and **$1.25** each.

New Silk and Chiffon Fronts, at **$1.25, $1.90** and **$2.50** each.

Chiffon Neck Ruches, at **50c, 75c** and **$1.00** each.

Novelties in Lace and Chiffon Neckwear, at **50c, 75c, $1, $1.25** and **$1.50.**

Satin covered Pin Cushions, all colors, at **25c** and **39c** each.

Dresser, Bureau and Side Board Scarfs and Setts, in Roman, Linen and Swiss Applique, at **25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00** and upward.

Silk Embroidered Piano Drapes, at **$1.25, $1.98** and **$2.98** each.

Pocket Books, Purses and Bags, at **25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00** and **$1.25** each.

APRONS—A splendid new lot for the Holidays at **25c, 50c, 75c** and **$1.00** each.

Wool Fascinators, **25c, 39c, 50c 75c** and **$1.00** each.

Jec Wool Shawls, **50c, 75c, $1.00** and **$1.25** each.

DECORATION CREPE—Quite new and looks like silk. Just the thing for decorating, and for Dolls and evening dresses, all the pretty colors, at **7c** yard.

CLOAKS.

Nothing more useful or desirable for a Christmas present than a Winter Cloak. You can buy them now at nearly half price. All our Cloaks to be sold at Sale Prices from now till Christmas.

All Cloaks that sold from $5.00 to $7.00, choice of the lot for **$3.90.**

All Cloaks that sold from $7.50 to to $8.00, choice of the lot for **$5.**

All Cloaks that sold at $10.00 and $11.00, choice of the lot for **$7.50.**

All Cloaks that sold at $15.00, choice of the lot for **$10.**

All the $20.00 and $25.00 Cloaks go at **$15** each.

MACKINTOSHES.

All new Garments at lower prices than you can buy them anywhere.

Ladies' Mackintoshes at **$1.90, $2.90 $3.90** and **$5.**

Children's Mackintoshes, at **$1.25, $1.75, $2.25** and **$3.50.**

FURS.

Fur Collarettes at **$2.50, $3.90, $5, $7.50, $10, $15,** in all the choice Furs, such as Electric Seal, Astrachan, Wool Seal, Martin, Krimmer, Beaver, etc.

Muffs at **50c, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.75, $3.75** each. In all the Furs.

Children's Fur Setts in Angora, Thibet, Lamb's Wool, etc., at **$1.39, $1.90, $2.75, $375** and **$5.**

UMBRELLAS.

Ladies' Fine Silk Umbrellas, steel rod, at **$1** and **$1.25** each. With Pearl and Dresden handles, at **$1.75** each.

With Silver and Pearl Handles, at **$2.38** each.

Ladies' Colored Silk Umbrellas, all colors, silk cases, with Pearl and natural Handles, at **$3** and **$3.25** each.

Gent's Umbrellas, a complete stock, at **$1, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.25, $2.50** and **$3** each.

SHAWLS.

Beaver and Double Shawls, at **$2.75, $3, $3.75** and **$5** each.

Black Cashmere Shawls, at **$1.25, $1.50, $2** and up to **$10** each.

SKIRTS.

Wool Skirt Patterns, at **50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50** and **$2** each.

Wool Skirts, ready made, **$2.25** each.

Black Sateen Skirts, at **75c, $1, $1.25** and **$1.50** each.

Moreen Skirts, at **$2.50, $2.90, $3 25** and **$3.90** each.

Moquette Rugs, at **90c, $1.90** and **$2.90** each.

Holiday Novelties.

We cannot begin to mention one-twentieth of the NOVELTIES we are showing. This whole paper wouldn't be large enough. We can simply mention a few of the thousand and one useful articles that we have on sale.

Photograph Medallions, at 25c, 50c, $1.00, and up to $6.50 each.

Bisc Figures and Vases at 10c, 15c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and up to $5.00 each.

Bohemian Glassware at 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and upwards.

Worcester, Wedgewood and Austrian Vases at 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 and up to $5.00 each.

Blue Delft Vases at 89c, $1.00, $1.25 and upwards.

Toilet Sets, with Art Enamel backs and Celluloid Cases, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and up to $10.00 each.

Gent's Traveling Cases, in leather, at 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $2.00, $2.50, $3.75, and up to $6.00 each.

Collar and Cuff Boxes and Shaving Sets, in fine Celluloid Cases, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, and up to $5.00 each.

Smoking Sets and Trays, at 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50 each.

Cigar Boxes and Cases, at 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50 each.

Photograph Albums, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, and $2.50 each.

Handkerchief, Glove and Necktie Boxes, at 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 each.

Jewel Boxes, at 15c, 25c, 39c, 50c, 75c and $1 00 each.

Bon Bon Dishes, in fine Porcelain, at 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 each.

Nut Pick Sets, at 25c, 39c and 50c each.

Atomizers, at 25c, 39c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 each.

Children's Plated Cups, Mugs and Sets, at 25c, 39c and 50c each.

Mirrors, at 25c, 50c, 75, $1.00 and $1.25 each.

Toy Novelties for Children, Noah's Ark and all the animals, sets of soldiers, sets of fancy riders, all at 25c the box.

The Immense Variety of HOLIDAY GOODS Now on Sale Makes the PEOPLE'S STORE the Great Attractive Trading Centre of Fort Wayne.

BOOKS.

The great SPECIALTY that we make of BOOKS at the HOLIDAY SEASON, is well known to the book buying public of Fort Wayne. Make your selection EARLY, while the stock is complete, and when you can get good and proper attention. We are now showing

BOOKS FOR CHILDREN.

With paper and board covers, shaped and square, at 5c, 10c, 15c, 19c, 25c, 35c, 39c and 50c.

Books for Everybody.

10 mo. "Handy Volume Classics," 100 different titles, well bound with silk cloth, worth 25c, at 15c each.

12 mo. "New Oxford Edition," bound in silk cloth, with gilt top; 200 different titles, worth 50c, at 25c each.

"Fireside" and "Alger Series" for boys and girls, splendid books, good titles, well bound, worth 75c, at 50c each.

16 mo. Books, in beautiful, fancy bindings, and choice, well selected titles, suitable for GIFTS and XMAS presents; regular 50c and 75c books, at 39c and 60c each. A splendid line of BOOKLETS and CALENDARS from 5c upwards.

"International" and "Oxford" Teacher's Bibles, at 39c, 50c, 75c, 90c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00.

All the NEW BOOKS received by the BEST, WELL KNOWN AUTHORS; also all the STANDARD WORKS, at lower prices than you can buy them elsewhere.

DOLLS.

Our extensive assortment of Dolls for Christmas is NOW ON DISPLAY; we would suggest to the public to buy their Dolls early, while we have a full and complete stock to select from. We have JOINTED DOLLS at 10c, 15c, 25c, 39c.

KID BODY DOLLS at 25c, 35c, 39c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00.

The above with fine Bisc Heads, and movable and Stationary Eyes.

BISC DOLL HEADS at 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c each.

The best values in Dolls in the city.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

New Ties and Neckwear, latest shapes, at 25c and 50c.

SUSPENDERS—Embroidered, put up one pair in a box, at 25c and 50c.

MUFFLERS—In Silk and Cashmere, at 39c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 each.

Night Shirts, plain and embroidered, at 50c and 75c each.

Gloves in Cashmere and Worsted, at 25c and 50c pair.

Gloves in Kid, lined and unlined, at $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 pair.

CARDIGAN JACKETS—The best value you ever saw, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 and $2.75 each.

LINEN DEPARTMENT.

TOWELS, in Damask, Huck and Oatmeal Linen, at 10c, 12½c, 19c, 25c, 39c and 50c.

Fine bleached Damask Table Linens, at 50c, 62½c, 75c, 87½c and $1.00 yard, with Napkins to match.

Fine Damask Table Sets, plain and hemstitched, at $4.50, $5.00, $6.50, $8.50 and $10 set.

Fine Damask Table Cloths in patterns at $1.00, $1.25, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.75.

Table Napkins by the dozen at 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.75 each.

FINE BED SPREADS at 69c, 79c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 and up to $5.00 each.

TABLE COVERS—In Chenille and Tapestry, at 65c, 89c, $1.00 and up to $3.75 each.

Blankets and Comforts.

Blankets in White and Grey, at 50c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 and up to $8.50 pair.

Red Blankets at $2.50, $3.00, $3.75 pair.

COMFORTS at 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 and up to $5.00 each.

PERFUMERY

Colgate Perfumes, all odors, 25c ounce.

Crown Perfumery, all odors, 50c ounce.

Fine Perfumes put up in fancy boxes, at 25c, 50c, 89c and $1.25 box.

SOAPS.—Pears, Cuticura, White Rose, Woodbury's, Buttermilk, Babeskin, Cashmere Bouquet, and all Colgates.

DRESS GOODS.

A nice dress is always acceptable for a Christmas gift.

Novelty Dress Goods, at 25c, 35c, 39c, 50c, 62c, 75c and $1.00. The best values in the city. High class, imported novelty Dress Patterns, from $5.00 to $15.00 a pattern.

Silks and Satins in all the bright shades, at 50c yard.

An Army of Clerks to Wait Upon You, Twenty Extra Ones Engaged for the Holiday Trade. Make Your Purchases as Early as Possible and Avoid the Great Rush of the Last Few Days. NOTICE--Store Now Open Every Evening Till Christmas.

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Word Contest Closes December 23rd.
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The Fort Wayne Sentinel.

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When the girl's Cloaks were made at home it was a bothersome affair, took a long time, and nine times out of ten the Cloak didn't fit.

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Manicure and Toilet Sets, Traveling Cases, Military Brushes, Perfumes and Atomizers, Tripart Mirrors, etc. Try English Violet, the latest Perfume.

FREESE & RANKE, Druggists, 98 Calhoun St. Both Phones No. 477.

OUR ARTIFICIAL TEETH Are so perfect in fit, so natural in appearance and action that the wearer is able to forget about them. Set of the best Teeth $8.00. Painless Dentistry. Moderate Charges. Warranted Work. Vitalized Air Fresh Daily.

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ANY PERSON TEMPORARILY EMBARRASSED CAN BORROW ANY AMOUNT YOU WISH FROM $5 UP ON THE FOLLOWING SECURITY: HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE & PIANOS, HORSES, WAGONS, CARRIAGES, ETC. THE PROPERTY TO REMAIN UNDISTURBED IN YOUR POSSESSION; YOU CAN GET THE MONEY THE DAY YOU MAKE APPLICATION. NO PUBLICITY. NO DELAY. LOWEST RATES.

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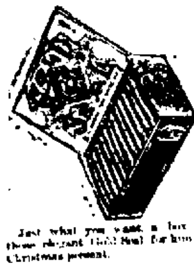

Just what you want, a box of those elegant Gold Seal for him a Christmas present.

STILL IN THE LEAD.

Miller Keeps in the Van in the Great Six Day Race.

Moore Gets Another Bad Fall and is Hurt—Record Breaking Pace Continues.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—When, early this morning enthusiasts over the six days' bicycle race reached Madison Square Garden today, they found only sixteen of the thirty-six men who started on the record-breaking task on Monday last.

The second serious accident of the contest had removed Moore from the track. The wheel of the Philadelphian, while he was in fifth place at 8 o'clock this morning, slipped on a turn and Moore fell over the handle bars. He struck his head violently against one of the uprights of the rail and lay unconscious on the track. At first it was thought that Moore was dead. An ambulance surgeon put the fears of the spectators at rest and it was found that Moore's injuries consisted of a bad cut on the head and a strain to the chord on the right side of the neck. He had ridden 1,449 miles when he fell.

Although Miller had a lead of sixty-eight miles at 1:15 a. m., it was anybody's race. Both Miller and Rice, the Wilkesbarre boy, who has followed so closely on his heels, showed painful evidences of the heart-breaking pace they had maintained since Monday. Miller's trainers feared for sometime today that their man's mind was giving way. The sleep which would put him right is an impossibility, for the pursuing Rice would then cut down his lead. Rice, too, harrassed by the fear of Rivierre, and urged by the hope of overhauling Miller, dare not sleep. Of the first three men, Rivierre looked by far the best conditioned. Teddy Hale is among the men who, the experts say, is certain to last to the end. He had smashed his own record of last year when he completed his one hundredth hour today.

Schinneer's eyes are in bad shape and unless they get better his trainers say that he will have to quit. Pierce, who is suffering from his wrenched arm, Gannon, Beacom and Enterman plodded away gamely. They will probably finish in about the same positions they have now. Kinz claims to be very strong and he expects to go up several pegs. Gray and Johnson are down at the end, and they will probably remain there. The colored man is a source of annoyance to the other riders, as he is continually in their way because of his slow riding. Miller, who left the track at 9:30 a. m., returned at 9:58. Moore's trainer at 10:30 says he will be on the track again in about two hours, but he does not think the Philadelphian can finish after the accident.

DAY'S DEATH LIST.

George Julian Harney Dies at Richmond.

Charles Fleischmann, the Noted Distiller, Stricken Down—A Judge and a Publisher Called.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—George Julian Harney, the Chartist leader, died at Richmond yesterday. He formerly conducted a newspaper in New York and his second wife taught school in Boston, Mass.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 10.—The Hon Charles Fleischmann died at 4:30 a. m. today at his home in Avondale from paralysis. The stroke, which was the second, came at 2:30 Thursday morning and he never gained consciousness. Mr. Fleischman was born in Hungary in 1834 and came to America in 1866, and to Cincinnati in 1868. The foundation of his great fortune was laid by the invention of patented machinery for use in distilleries.

This was followed by utilizing a bye-product in distilling for the manufacture of compressed yeast. His business interests were various and manifold. Until recently he was president of the Commercial Tribune company. He was also president of the Market National bank. He had an extensive interest in the turf, and was the employer of the famous jockey, Tod Sloane. Mr. Fleischmann served two terms as senator of Ohio from this district. He held a number of offices, such as fire commissioner and trustee for various associations and societies. His wife and two sons, Julius and Max, and one daughter, Mrs. C. R. Holmes, survive him.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Judge Asa W. Tenney, of the United States district court, died at his home in Brooklyn today. Judge Tenney was born in Dalton, N. H., and was graduated from Dartmouth college in the class of '59. In 1873 President Grant appointed him United States district attorney for the eastern division of New York. President Hayes and Garfield each reappointed him to that position. In September last he was appointed by President McKinley United States district judge.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Dec. 10.—Edward H. Phelps, fifty-five years of age, died today. Until a few years ago Mr. Phelps was the principal stockholder in the Phelps Publishing company, publishers of the "Springfield Homestead," "New England Homestead," "Farm and Home," "The American Agriculturist," and other periodicals.

William H. Tagtmeyer, of 77 West Superior street, gave a stag party last evening at which there were sixteen guests. A portion of the evening was devoted to progressive pedro, John Doyle and Thomas Below winning the first and booby prizes in the order named. During the evening Mr. Below sang "Behind the Clouds" in a manner which elicited the applause of his hearers.

BOTH BARRELS.

Premature Discharge of a Gun Held by Charles Rekers.

Miraculous Escape With His Life, But Receives Injuries—Mishap on a Hunting Trip.

Charles Rekers, of Ben Rekers' tailoring establishment, started out on a shooting expedition the other day and he came so near reaching the hunting grounds that don't exist on this mundane sphere that he found it necessary to return home last evening with one arm in a sling. Mr. Rekers was with a party of nimrods near Arcola, yesterday, when in climbing a fence his gun was accidentally discharged, the same time, barrels going off at once. The gun fell in such a way that the hammers caught on his right arm, just above the elbow, and the sharp edges of the steel lacerated the flesh, causing a very painful wound, which Dr. McGraw dressed last evening. Just how he happened to escape the business end of the weapon he cannot explain, and it makes the chills creep up and down his spine to think of it. The rest of the party with whom Mr. Rekers was hunting are camping out near Arcola. They have been successful in their quest for game.

The most complete line of umbrellas in the city at Reuben S. Patterson's.

ONCE MORE

We Give Free the Waist and Skirt Lining

With Every Dress Purchased Tomorrow at 25c Per Yard and Upwards.

200 dozen ladies' embroidered handkerchiefs worth 20c, tomorrow 10c.

Special prices on ladies and children's gloves tomorrow.

Visit our hosiery and underwear counter tomorrow, always special prices for Saturday's trade.

Calicos in blue and white, black and white, grey and white, red and white and medium dark colors, 4c per yard for tomorrow.

Yard wide unbleached muslin, 5c quality for 4c per yard.

Best ginghams, 5c per yard; large line of new outing flannels for tomorrows trade.

100 hemed bed spreads ready for use, worth $1.00; tomorrow, 75c.

Extra large size napkins $1.00 per doz., worth $1.75.

SECOND FLOOR.

200 ladies' jackets, ranging in prices from the lowest to the highest. A sample lot we will close out tomorrow for a manufacturer at ½ price. Grand opportunity to purchase a nice stylish garment for half money tomorrow.

15% discount on all ladies' and gents' flannelette night gowns.

THIRD FLOOR.

We offer our entire line of lace chenille tapestry curtains tomorrow at a 15% discount.

100 moquette rugs, size 27x53, all new patterns, tomorrow $1.39.

100 large size white fur rugs for $1.59 tomorrow.

We show the largest line of blankets in the city to select from.

WOLF & DESSAUER,
70 and 72 Calhoun st.

Chas Ehrmann, 339 West Jefferson street, got the $10 in cash at Reuben S. Patterson's last Saturday evening.

LOVELY CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Buy your sweetheart's Christmas present at Kane's. We have beautiful albums from 50c to $10.00 each. They make nice Christmas presents. Fine celluloid comb and brush sets, all new styles, from 75c to $12.00 each. See those jewel cases, fine work boxes, glove and handkerchief boxes, music boxes, collar and cuff boxes, shaving sets, necktie boxes. All new, clean goods. Prices lower than any store in town. Buy your Christmas presents at the Big Cheap Store. Open every night. Kane's, 24 Calhoun street.

Special sale of 50c chocolates at 30c per pound, for a few days only, at 10-11-15
BAKERS, 98 Calhoun St.

Don't miss the entertainment of the Walther League this evening. Hall corner Barr and Madison streets.

Redmen, Take Notice.

All members of the Improved Order of Red Men are requested to meet at their hall tonight at 7:30 o'clock to make arrangements for the funeral of Brother Greek.

New Holiday Goods received at The Fair. Sep10w tf

Silk mufflers, for fellows, at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Miss Mahgneen's children's class in dancing will not meet until Saturday, Dec. 18th.

READY FOR BATTLE.

Important Engagement About to be Fought Near Havana.

Insurgents Have Planned a Formidable Demonstration Against the Cuban Capital—Bribers Hanged.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—A dispatch to the World from Havana says:

An important battle is expected hourly. The insurgents have planned the most formidable demonstration against Havana for a year. General Paredas has started from this city with strong columns of troops to meet the Cubans. Senor Canalejas, the confidential agent of the Spanish government, went with him to ascertain the real condition of Havana province.

Gen Mayea Rodriguez, with the combined Cuban forces under Juan del Galdo, Nodarez and Rafael de Cardenas, is encamped on La Luisa plantation, near Guira de Melina, about twenty miles south of here, on the railway to Pinar del Rio. He has fully 1,000 men who are well armed and he is said to have a Hotchkiss rapid firing cannon. The topography of the country about Guira de Melina is favorable to the Spanish troops.

Emilio Collazo hanged Antonio Rodriguez Rivera and the negro Osman. They went to Collazo with money and a proposition to lay down his arms, accepting autonomy. A note was pinned on the breasts of the hanged men announcing that any one coming on a similar mission would meet a like fate.

It is reported authoritatively that on Sunday the Spanish guerrilas of Caimanera, near Guantanamo, deserted to the insurgent leader, Rodriguez, with $14,000, 52,000 cartridges and their arms. They were supposed to have numbered about fifty men.

Juan Del Galdo's party lately attacked Santiago de Las Vegas near Havana. The place had three companies of guerrillas and an infantry column. There was a hot fight for three hours. The insurgents did not enter the town. The Spanish losses were heavy, those of the rebels are not known.

The latest reports of the late reports in Pinar del Rio province show that the Spanish losses were greater than was claimed. The dead or wounded include one colonel, one major, seven captains, eleven subordinate officers and seventy-four privates. Most of the wounded will die. The rebel loss was fourteen. The rebels really used explosive bullets. Their agents here admit it.

CUBAN REFUGEES

Starving by Hundreds in New York City.

Twenty Thousand Fled to the United States to Escape the Horrors of Weyler's Policy and They Are Penniless.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—The Journal and Advertiser says: Weyler's policy of extermination that he called reconcentration, has resulted in an enormous influx of Cubans in to New York. Hundreds, if not thousands of them are dying of hunger here. The number of these refugees is variously estimated at from 12,000 to 20,000. Perhaps the great majority are absolutely without means. There are men and women among them who were worth hundreds of thousands of dollars before the war began, but who are now penniless. Some of these are working as waiters, porters or seamstresses. Emilio Argramonte, president of the Marti Charity association, says that many of them have actually died from starvation, and that the majority have preferred to live quietly in misery rather than let their desperate wants be known to those who could help them, but who have in the past known them to be people of wealth, influence and refinement.

DISAPPOINTED.

To all those who were disappointed in not being able to secure a pair of our Three Dollar Shoes for $1.98, last Saturday, we will give another opportunity tomorrow, (Saturday.) We will sell all our Ladies' $3.00 Shoes for $1.98, and all Men's $3.00 Shoes for $1.98.

These are all genuine $3.00 Shoes, guaranteed to be just as represented.

Remember, the price is only $1.98, and will be sold on Saturday only.

Also, one hundred and seventy pairs of Misses' and Children's Shoes, worth $1.50, at $1.00.

Positively only one pair to a customer.

THOMPSON-WAY BROS.,
No. 118 Calhoun St.

Notice, I. O. O. F.

Harmony lodge No. 19, I. O. O. F., December 20th, 1897, will elect five trustees for the ensuing year.
A. D. KENSTRICK, N. G.
10-17-24 J. M. STUDER, Sec.

Wayne council, No. 302, Catholic Benevolent legion, has elected officers as follows: The Rev. J. H. Oechtering, spiritual director; M. H. Ankenbruck, president; Jos. Disser, vice president; Louis Reese, orator; A. H. Laley, secretary; Wm. C. Woebnker, collector; Jos. F. Aman, treasurer; Jacob Hartman, chancellor; Henry Thellen, marshal; H. H. Borlager, guard; F. P. Laley, Frank Hect and Frank H. Woebnker, trustees; M. H. Ankenbruck, representative; Jos. P. Disser, alternate. The above elected officers will be installed the 12th of January, on which occasion a supper will be served, as the committee appointed for that occasion promises to give all comrades a good time.

AN OLD CHARTER.

After Years of Uselessness Serves to Valuable Ends.

Business of the Fort Wayne Fire Insurance Company Purchased by a Chicago Syndicate for $100,000.

A deal has just been closed by which the charter and the business of the Fort Wayne Fire Insurance company passes into the hands of a Chicago syndicate, which assumes control of the affairs of the company at once.

The history of the charter under which the company did business is as interesting as it is ancient. It was back in 1852 that Hon. Hugh McCulloch, Judge Samuel Hanna, Peter Bailey, F. P. Randall and several others secured the charter from the state of Indiana. Under its provisions the holders could transact a banking, contracting or insurance business, or all. This charter was never operated under until five years ago, when it was brought to the surface by D. C. Fisher, who resurrected it from a pile of old papers, and then a company was incorporated to do a fire insurance business under the name of the Indiana Fire Insurance company of Fort Wayne. The stockholders of the company number sixty, three of whom lived in Fort Wayne. The three were Captain J. B. White, John H. Jacobs and D. C. Fisher. Mr. Jacobs was for a long time its president. In 1893 the directors went before the legislature and had the name of the company changed to the Fort Wayne Fire Insurance company, by which name it was known up to the present deal.

The terms of the transfer are that the stockholders, most of whom live at Indianapolis, where the general agency is located, shall surrender their stock and receive in exchange therefore new paid up stock in the new company to the value of $100,000. Negotiations were made through Messrs. Jacobs & Lowell, of Chicago, who are the leaders in the new company. The company will be recapitalized under the laws of Illinois, and sum of $100,000 will be deposited in cash or government bonds, as required by the statutes of that state. The old charter is very broad in its privileges, for in those pioneer days it was not a difficult task to secure it. That was before the constitution of Indiana was amended in 1857. Under the amended constitution it would be impossible to secure such a sweeping charter, hence its value is easily recognized. There is no doubt but that it will serve to support other enterprises than the one just promoted.

LOCAL LINES.

Mrs. Sarah Zeigler was summoned to Chicago this morning, by a telegram announcing the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. W. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Morgenthaler gave a dinner party at the Fort Wayne club last evening, for their guests, Mrs. L. Hirsch and Mortimer Hirsch, of Newark, N. J., and Miss Weiskopf, of Minneapolis.

A fine St. Bernard dog, owned by Herman Bergdoff, was poisoned by some miscreant last night. The animal was one of the finest of its species, and the owner would not have taken $200 for it. This is the second dog that has been poisoned for Mr. Bergdoff.

Flour Down 10c bbl. Meats Down 1-2c lb. Eggs Down 1c Dozen, at the Greatest.

Belle Fort Wayne, best Flour made, $4.70 bbl.

Country Mills Flour, favorite brand, $4.50 barrel.

Pennsylvania Buckwheat Flour, (Simon Pure). This is same brand buckwheat we sold last year and which everybody pronounced the best they ever used, 10 lb sacks 25c.

Self Raising Buckwheat Flour, 2 lb. packages, 7c.

Self Raising Pan Cake Flour, 2 lb. packages, 7c.

Bed Hams, 8½c; Shoulders, 6½c lb.

Fresh Eggs, 19c doz.

Fresh Hot House Lettuce, 14c lb.

Stewing Oysters, 18c; Frying, 25c can.

Turkeys, Chickens, and Ducks dressed to order at
THE GREATEST GROCERY.

OUR CARD.

It Is 240 Calhoun St. Where the New Keystone Store is Located.

This room has been thoroughly renovated and filled with new goods, bought at prices at which we can meet any and all competition. Our prices are equally as low as any house in the city. We will sell for cash and cash only, and we are buying for cash, and will take advantage of the discount there is in the trade. We will have our grand opening tomorrow, the 11th, the store will be open from 6:30 a. m. until 10 p. m. Do not forget the time and place, but call early to avoid the rush. We will be prepared to deliver all goods purchased of us promptly. You can rely upon it. Yours truly,

A. K. WALTER,
240 Calhoun St.

FOR IRELAND FREE.

Big Meeting at Library Hall Last Night.

Enthusiastic Greeting to Miss Maude Gonne, the Irish Joan of Arc—The Woes of Ireland Told.

Miss Maude Gonne, the "Irish Joan of Arc," was given a loyal Irish greeting at Library hall last night. The big auditorium was filled by an enthusiastic audience that, though essentially Irish, embraced all classes of nationality in Fort Wayne's citizenship. The beautiful and talented girl who has consecrated her life to the cause of Ireland's freedom spoke with impassioned eloquence of the woes of her unhappy land and with all the fire and fervor of a crusader of old, as, eyes blazing with zeal and voice ringing with inspiration, she told the sons of Erin that history must repeat itself, that '98 must come again and when it did English tyranny would be hurled away.

Library hall was profusely and appropriately decorated for the occasion. The stage was hung thickly with the Irish green and gold and the red, white and blue of Columbia. Above the speaker hung the flag of Ireland, side by side with the stars and stripes. A large number of prominent citizens sat on the stage. Miss Gonne was escorted to the hall by the chosen committee with the Hibernian rifles as guard of honor, while a military band discoursed Irish national airs.

The program opened with a piano duett, Irish airs, by the Misses Connors and O'Brien. Miss Lizzie Sommers, in a sweet voice, sang "Kathleen Mavourneen," and on being called back, responded with "Come Back to Erin." Miss Josephine Albert accompanied the singer on the Irish national instrument, the harp.

Hon. W. P. Breen, chairman of the meeting, introduced Miss Gonne. Thanking the audience for the tribute its numbers paid to the cause of Ireland and Ireland's lovely advocate, Mr. Breen paid a glowing tribute to woman, who had ever been foremost in all great movements for the rights of humanity, being especially eloquent in extolling the grand work of Miss Gonne. A great burst of applause greeted the beautiful Irish girl as she advanced to the front of the stage.

After thanking the audience for the pleasure of meeting so many true hearted Irishmen so far away from the dear old land, Miss Gonne said there was nothing more beautiful in all the world than the patriotic devotion of the Irish to the fair motherland. Miss Gonne said she was always proud to reflect upon the great part borne by her countrymen in the building up and the greatness of the American republic. Miss Gonne said the history of the Irish, their centuries of struggle, had made them lovers of liberty and haters of tyranny. They had learned to utterly distrust the faith of the English, who respected no treaty if breaking it redounded to the advantage of England. She denounced the so-called arbitration treaty between England and the United States as a scheme of England to secure as her ally the powerful American republic and called upon Irish Americans and all other citizens of the United States to oppose the treaty. She said:

"Many noble-minded Americans a year ago supported the treaty of arbitration with England, who now think differently of it. England would have no treaty with America if she dared to go to war with America. But a treaty with America puts England in a position to make war on other nations, as the closing up of the Suez canal would leave her only method of rapid transportation to the east by way of America. She could then withdraw her navy from the western seas, for an arbitration treaty, such as England wants, is nothing less than a treaty of alliance. This is the way European countries view that proposed compact.

"And to us in Ireland," said Miss Gonne, "it would be a sad sight to see America, the land of generous thought, of perfect freedom, become the ally of England, the very living incarnation of old world feudalism, tyranny and oppression."

Miss Gonne told of the process of gradual extermination of the Irish nation as the fruits of English tyranny, starvation accomplishing what bayonets had not. She reviewed the Irish rebellion of 1798 and the inhuman war waged at that time on the Irish people. Then she recounted graphically the fearful things of which she had been a witness, the evictions of helpless peasants and the burning of their thatched roofs over their heads. She then spoke of the great gathering of Irish from all parts of the world to be held in Ireland next year, the centenary of the uprising of 1798, and urged the attendance of all who might find it possible to be there. As Miss Gonne concluded she was given a very demonstrative ovation.

Mrs. M. F. Bolger and E. J. Lennon sang "When Ireland Belongs to the Irish Again," and Mr. Breen introduced James Egan, who for eleven years was in an English bastile, a political prisoner. Mr. Egan's recital of the horrors of the lives of political prisoners in England was harrowing. He told of the atrocities which had killed many and had driven many others insane, among the latter being Dr. Gallagher and Dr. Whitehead, citizens of the United States.

A violin solo by Miss Garvey accompanied by Miss MacDonald on the piano followed and Chairman Breen then read resolutions protesting against any arbitration with England and declaring the independence of Ireland. Another set of resolutions was read denouncing England's treatment of Irish political prisoners. Both sets of resolutions were adopted amid much enthusiasm. After the meeting an informal reception was held on the stage and hundreds of persons embraced the opportunity to greet Miss Gonne and Mr. Egan personally.

BAD SMASH-UP.

Team Owned by Fred Boltz Goes on a Tear.

Patrol Box Upset, Trees Uprooted and Buggy Reduced to Kindling Wood.

South Lafayette street people were thrown into a panic yesterday afternoon by a runaway team, which left a trail of destruction for a distance of several squares. Fortunately nobody was injured. The team had been left standing in the rear of Rhinesmith & Simonson by the owner, Fred Boltz, and the horses were tied to a post. Something frightened them and caused them to break their fastenings and run away, dragging the buggy after them. Between the railroad crossing and Lewis street the animals kept the middle of the thoroughfare, but at the intersection of Lewis and Lafayette a patrol box was upset and a little farther along a number of shade trees gave way to the avalanche. The buggy stood the test pretty well, but finally went to pieces. The horses were caught.

SOLD OUT.

Wayne Baking Company's Plant in New Hands.

Deal Closed With the New York Biscuit Company, the Purchase Price Being $30,000.

The New York Biscuit company has bought out the plant of the Fort Wayne Baking company, at the corner of Harrison and Pearl streets, the purchase price being $30,000. The New York Biscuit company is a mammoth concern and controls plants of a similar kind all over the country. John B. Franke, secretary of the Wayne Baking company, will be retained as manager, and Daniel Riley, the head baker, will remain in the same capacity under the new company.

NEXT WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Dec. 15, Occurs the Distribution.

The Grand Piano May be Yours—Do not Fail to Participate—A Few Days Remaining.

Tickets Given Free With Each Dollar Purchase—Bee Hive Dry Goods House.

Every jacket sold tomorrow ⅓ off regular price.

$10.00 blouse jackets for $5.00. Silk lined electric seal collarettes, silk lined, very full sweep, at $2.50 each.

Entire stock of flannel waists, velvet waists, French flannel waists, worth up to $2.50, at 75c to close out.

150 eiderdown dressing sacques worth $1.25, at 75c each.

GREAT STOCK OF HOLIDAY WEAR.

Dolls, an immense variety; onyx tables, Turkish tables, cut glass and imported china, celluloid and leather novelties, purses, Boston bags and chatelains, cushions, covers, Japanese screens.

The great holiday emporium
BEE HIVE DRY GOODS HOUSE.

MEN'S OVERSHIRTS.

Underwear, White Shirts, at The Bell.

Regular men's 50c overshirts at 39c.

Regular men's fleece lined overshirts in blue, black, tan and grey, at 48c.

Men's regular 35c underwear at 25c.

Men's extra heavy fleece lined underwear at 45c.

Men's camelshair underwear at 47c.

Men's regular 75c white laundried shirts, sizes 14 to 18, 48c.

Men's regular 50c white unlaundried shirts, sizes 14 to 18, 39c.

Boys' laundried white shirts, sizes 12 to 14, regular 75c shirts, at 47c.

Men's white laundried shirts, regular $1.00 shirt, at 75c.

THE BELL,
18 Calhoun St.

This is an Opportunity of a Life Time.

My entire stock of toys, iron wagons, velocipeds, iron trains, iron toys of all kinds, drums, dolls, pianos, tool chests, books, games, banks, toy trunks, toy dishes and 10,000 articles must go. On and after Monday, Dec. 6, all 50c articles will be sold for 50c at No. 4 East Main St.

TOWER OF BARGAINS,
A. R. HILLS.

HEADED THIS WAY.

Horse Thieves Supposed to be Journeying Hence.

Superintendent Gorsline Preparing to Give Them a Warm Welcome—Happenings in Police Circles.

Superintendent Gorsline today received a telegram from the authorities at St. John's, Mich., advising him of the departure for Fort Wayne of horse thieves who have in their possession a team and wagon belonging to a leading citizen of St. John's. Mr. Gorsline delights in entertaining those kind of fellows and if they should arrive it is sure to follow that they will be taken care of.

BURGLAR FOILED.

Last evening a burglar tried to effect an entrance into the residence of Clarence S. Smith, at the corner of Jefferson and Rockhill streets. He had climed to the roof of the kitchen and had raised a window a few inches when his presence was discovered. He escaped when the alarm was given. The officers think that one man is responsible for the several cases of porch climbing reported lately.

NOTES.

Two train jumpers were let go by the mayor today.

MAD MAN'S FRENZY.

Joseph Traut Becomes Violent and is Locked Up.

Shatters the Wooden Cot in His Cell and Threatens to Kill People—A Sad Case.

Joseph Traut, the ex-clothing clerk who had an attack of mental derangement last Saturday, had another outbreak last night. He ran hatless from his home, 176 East Washington street, and gained admission to the home of Dr. J. H. Kappel, where in frenzied tones he asked for a knife. Mrs. Kappel fled in terror to another part of the house and Dr. Kappel rushed to the room and subdued the fellow until the police came. Traut was taken to the station and locked up. During the night he amused himself by shattering his wooden cot and driving splinters into the lock of the cell door so as to give him security from the attacks of a hoodoo, which, he said, was lying in wait for him. Later he changed his mind and wanted to get out so that he could "cut off the heads of the police." Not a man on the force could be found who wanted his head lopped off in that manner. They preferred to have it done in the good old way by the board of safety, if it had to be done at all.

This morning Traut was taken to jail, where he will remain until a commission in lunacy passes upon his case. The man's condition is pitiable as he was only married a few weeks ago to a young lady, Miss Schuler, of St. Joe township. He has lately been employed in the picture canvassing business.

TOYS! TOYS! TOYS!

The place to buy them is at Kane's. Dolls in endless variety. Lovely Bisque Dolls, best grade, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and up. Doll Heads that are beautiful from 10c up to $2.50 each. Metal Doll Heads, something new, see them. The Best Steel Wheel Doll Cabs in town from $1.00 up. Skates, all sizes; Drums, Desks, Toy Trunks, Tool Boxes, Chairs, Cradles, Hobby Horses, Sleighs, Iron Wagons with Steel Wheels, Wheelbarrows, Carts, Games, Parcheesi, 75c, Double Hobby Horses, &c. Ours is the only big show in town and prices are lower than the fake sales. Buy your Toys at Kane's, 24 Calhoun street.

A Desirable Present For Your Boy

Is one of our all wool Chinchilla reefers, with ulster collar, and worsted lined.

REUBEN S. PATTERSON.

Christmas Candies.

H. H. Barnes has on hand and is making daily, the largest stock of holiday candies in the city. Call and see the display. 10-14-15
BAKERS, 98 Calhoun St.

BOYS' SLEDS

Free With Each Boys' Overcoat or Ulster at the Bell Quit Business Sale.

115 boys' overcoats, with cape, sizes 4 to 14, at $1.90.

185 boys' overcoats, with capes, sizes 4 to 10, well worth $5. We will close them out at $2.10.

185 boys' ulsters, large collars, ages 4 to 18, regular $4.00 ulsters. We will close them out at $2.37.

THE BELL,
18 Calhoun St.

Open Saturday nights until 11 p. m.

Last evening a number of the members of the ladies' auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. induced Mrs. J. W. Cromwell to accompany them to the home of Mrs. Thorne, where quite a crowd had gathered to pay their respects to the esteemed lady. Mrs. Cromwell has been the treasurer of the auxiliary since its organization. In recognition of her faithful services the present occasion was made to serve as an opportunity of presenting to her a pair of gold spectacles. She was taken by surprise but acknowledged the gift in grateful terms. The evening was then spent in social enjoyments.

SMALL DOSE OF BALM

Jury Awards Mary A. Meyers $200 for Wounded Affections.

Verdict in Breach of Promise Suit—Wabash Injunction Being Heard by Judge Adair—Court News.

The jury in the circuit court which listened to the evidence in the breach of promise suit of Mary A. Meyers against William H. DeCamp returned a verdict this morning. The young lady was awarded $200, the extent of the damage done her affections as viewed by the jury.

INJUNCTION SUIT BEING HEARD.

The injunction suit of the city of Fort Wayne against the Wabash Railroad company relative to the matter of the Clay street bridge, was argued in the circuit court today. It will be remembered that the city obtained from Judge O'Rourke, last week, a temporary order restraining the railroad from further work on the bridge, alleging that the company had been given no permit to build it, that it had filed no bond and that it was constructing the bridge contrary to the specifications prescribed by the city. Judge Joseph W. Adair, of Columbia City, is presiding as special judge in the case. The city is represented by City Attorney Shambaugh and Hon. T. E. Ellison. Judge Allen Zollars, of this city, and Judge Hannan and Charles Stewart, of Lafayette, are attorneys for the Wabash company.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

Ida M. Knoder has filed a suit in the superior court for divorce from Charles W. Knoder. The complaint says that the plaintiff went to Chicago and was married there to the defendant against the wishes of her mother, who had always objected to her daughter receiving attentions from Knoder. The plaintiff further declares that her husband falsely represented to her that he had employment, and that he gave her no home except with his sister, where life soon became unbearable. She declares her belief that her husband is a worthless man and therefore wants a divorce.

LICENSED TO WED.

Ethan A. Miller and Cora B. Castle.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS.

Oliver Greek Dies of Consumption—Remains Will be Taken to Convoy.

Oliver Greek died yesterday at the residence of his father, J. W. Greek, at 105 West Superior street, of consumption. He was twenty-two years old. The remains will be taken to Convoy, Ohio, for interment and will be accompanied by an escort from Mechecunnaqua tribe, Order of Red Men, of this city. The funeral will be held next Sunday.

OTHER DEATHS.

The remains of Mrs. Henry Gorke will arrive from Denver, Col., Saturday, for burial.

The funeral of Mrs. Martha Smith will be held tomorrow morning from the Catholic church at Hesse Cassel. The deceased was eighty three years of age. She was born in Germany and emigrated to this country seventy years ago and was one of the oldest settlers in Allen county.

The funeral of Mrs. Sophia Kegel will take place Sunday afternoon at 1:30 from the home, 168 Hanna street, and 2 o'clock from St. Paul's Lutheran church, the Rev. Miller officiating.

WITH A RUSH.

Thing & Co.'s Big Xmas Sale Of Shoes and Slippers Opens Tomorrow.

Greater, Grander Than Ever—Bargains Such as Were Never Shown Before.

Men's 75c Xmas slippers in 20 different styles, 48c.

Men's $1.00 slippers, 67c.

Men's $1.25 slippers, 75c.

Men's sample slippers, made to sell at $2.50 and $3.00, fine Vici kid in tan and black, lined with white kid and chamois, 98c and $1.25.

Women's Xmas slippers, 25c, 49c.

Children's felt slippers, 25c.

Women's 50c ten button overgaiters, 25c.

The best $2.00 shoe for ladies' wear ever made—all the new styles.

99c buys a good pair of shoes for ladies' wear.

25c buys baby's 50c soft sole shoes in all colors.

Men's first quality rubber boots, $1.90.

Boy's first quality rubber boots, $1.49.

Children's first quality rubber boots, 98c.

The big store is crowded with the greatest bargains ever known. Handsome imported pictures given away with a $1.00 purchase or over. See our window display. The Big Store.

S. B. THING & CO.,
No. 22 Calhoun St.
Large Red Boot.

An enjoyable evening may be spent by attending the concert given by St. Paul's Walther League this evening. Hall corner Barr and Madison streets.

Cancer

Mrs. A. H. Crumby, of 158 Kerr St., Memphis, Tenn., paid no attention to a small lump in her breast, but it soon developed into a cancer of the most malignant type. The best physicians in New York treated her, and finally declared her case hopeless. As a last resort, S. S. S. was given, and an immediate improvement resulted; a few bottles cured her completely, and no sign of the disease has returned for ten years.

CURED BY SSS

Books on Cancer free; address Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

FRIDAY, DEC. 10, 1897.

TONIGHT.

Revival Services—At Bethany Presbyterian church, Nebraska. Rev. E. J. Balgin, evangelist.

Wayne Street M. E. Church—Extra meeting, conducted by Rev. Henry W. Bennett, D. D.

China Art Exhibit—Keramic club at Sons of Columbus parlors.

Sale and Supper—Under auspices of St. Margaret's Guild, at Trinity parish house.

Westminster Church—Women's Missionary society.

Sons of Columbus Hall—D. of T. dance.

Trades and Labor Council—Regular meeting.

G. A. R.—Sion S. Bass post, regular meeting.

Lodges—Fort Wayne Encampment No. 152, I. O. O. F.; Fort Wayne No. 19, A. O. U. W.; Maumee, No. 50, A. O. U. W.; Mad Anthony Tent, No. 93, K. O. T. M.; Summit City, No. 170, F. & A. M.; Fort Wayne Camp, No. 4,781, Modern Woodmen; Summit City Encampment No. 16, I. O. O. F.; Order of Foresters.

Masonic Temple—Attractions for the week.

Friday evening—The Nancy Hanks with Marie Jansen and Frank Tannehill, jr.

WHEAT, evidently delighted with the good time it started, has gone off on a jag and is whooping it up regardless. Let 'er whoop.

IT is unfortunate for the administration that just at the time the president's message should be delivered the fever for the annexation of Hawaii should be broken and begin to subside. The country seems to be getting over it fast.

THE supreme court has given the "quart shop" a stiff punch in the solar plexus by declaring that such dives are amenable to the provisions of the Nicholson law the same as any other place where liquors are sold. Proprietors of such places have regarded themselves as on answerable to the laws controlling the retailing of liquor on the ground that they were operated only under government license. The supreme court decides that such places must remove their screens at unlawful hours and cannot sell liquor at any time interdicted by the statutes of the state.

THIS is a big country, and it produces almost everything worth producing. Even in the matter of precious stones it makes a good showing. According to the government report on the yield of American gems, the valuable stones found here include the turquoise, sapphire, tourmaline, garnet, ruby, amethyst, topaz and opal. There are no diamonds or emeralds in the list, but Yankee ingenuity has provided a fair substitute in paste and colored window glass. Nature has been bountiful, and where she fails the ingenious manufacturer completes the job.

COMMENTING upon the arrest and punishment in this city of two commercial travelers for insolence to ladies on the streets, the South Bend Times says: "If the 'gay and festive chaps who are on the road' and consider themselves licensed to impudently accost young ladies on the streets of towns they visit were generally dealt with in this fashion they would soon be made to realize that indecent overtures to young ladies can not be made with impunity in this state. Fort Wayne has set a good example. Let it be followed up in all towns where such vile practices are indulged in. Well-behaved, decent and honorable traveling men will commend such action. It would eventually relieve them of the imputation that all traveling men are rakes, which surely is not the case. But there is a class of traveling men that needs curbing very much. They are 'freshies' of the rankest type. They imagine that every girl or woman they meet and who may chance to glance at them is infatuated with their charms and only needs to be approached to be ensnared and conquered. A quietus should be put upon this presumption by applying the Fort Wayne method in all parts of the state."

Party Lines Broken.

More and more, as the present situation is studied, does it become apparent that beyond the appropriation measures little or nothing is likely to be accomplished by the present congress. Both great political parties are disorganized and divided on great questions, but the republicans are in much the worse shape and the more embarrassed because they are responsible for such legislation as shall be enacted or fail to be enacted. William E. Curtis, in the Chicago Record, points out the situation with much clearness. He says:

"There was never a time when party obligations were so little regarded in congress and party discipline so lax. Formerly the platform of a national convention was the creed of politicians, and those who did not follow its doctrines were not considered good party men. Mr. Sumner, Mr. Schurz, Mr. Trumbull and others, for example, were read out of the republican party twenty-five years ago because they would not observe the obligations imposed by the platform of that organization and sustain the policy of the president. But today we have the speaker of the house of representatives leading the opposition to one of the chief features of the republican program—a measure demanded by the national convention and earnestly advocated by the president. He is followed by Mr. Dingley, the recognized leader on the floor of the house; Mr. Hoar and Mr. Morrill, two of the oldest and most influential members of the president's party in congress, and others, who do not hesitate to declare publicly their opposition to one of the most important issues that party is pledged to support. There is an even greater difference of opinion and a wider division on civil service reform and the Cuban and currency questions.

"The democrats are equally divided, although it must be acknowledged that the discipline in that party is better than that of their opponents. But they are not in power and their factional differences are therefore not so conspicuous."

The "chief measure" to which Mr. Curtis refers is the annexation of Hawaii. It does not now seem at all probable that the republican party will be able to fulfill its platform pledge, in view of the powerful opposition that has developed among the republicans in congress to this measure.

FREE! FREE!!

A Boys' Sled Free With Each Boys' Suit,

At The Bell's Quit Business Sale.

130 boys' $4.00, $3.50 and $3.00 single breasted suits, ages 4 to 7, at 98c.

212 boys' double breasted $3.00 and $3.50 suits, ages 4 to 14, at $1.48.

114 boys' double breasted $4.00 to $4.50 suits, ages 4 to 14, at $1.98.

127 boys' double breasted $5.50 and $6.00, suits ages 4 to 14, at $2.37.

THE BELL,
18 Calhoun St.

Open Saturday until 11 p. m.

REAL ESTATE SALES

Reported by the Reichelderfer Abstract Company.

Daniel and Elizabeth Bottenberg to John P. Bottenberg, undivided half, north half, northwest quarter, section 34, township 29, range 15 east, containing 80 acres, for $1,250.

The Tri-State Building and Loan association to Otto G. Klinkenberg, lot 4, Association sub-division, for $15,200.

The Tri-State Building and Loan association to Sarah J. and Carolina M. King, lot 5, Association sub-division, for $14,300.

Mary and Paul Koehler to W. B. Phillips, lot 45, Romy's sub-division, for $1,300.

The Fort Wayne Land and Improvement company to William Geake, lots 184 and 185, Lakeside Park addition, for $1,600.

FOR SIX MONTHS.

Semi-Annual Election of Summit City Lodge, No. 36, A. O. U. W.

Last evening Summit City lodge, No. 36, A. O. U. W., held its semi-annual election of officers with the following result:

Past Master Workman—W. B. Haiber.
Master Workman—C. A. Singrey.
Foreman—Henry Brunkhart.
Overseer—H. C. Williams.
Recorder—C. P. Jones.
Financier—C. F. Haiber.
Receiver—Dr. Wm. D. Ruhl.
Guide—Ed Miller.
Inside Watch—John Fredericks.
Outside Watch—M. M. Beals.
Medical Examiners—Drs. Wm. D. Ruhl, C. E. Heaton, Charles Bogh, A. P. Buchman, J. E. Stults, T. H. McCormick.
Representative to Grand Lodge—A. S. Coverdale.
Alternate—C. W. Holverstott.
Organist—C. E. Evarts.

WALTHER LEAGUE.

Entertainment to be Given by the St. Paul's Society This Evening.

The Walther league will give an entertainment at the St. Paul's Lutheran school house this evening. The following program has been arranged:

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Tomorrow evening begins the bazaar given by the International Brotherhood league, at their rooms, 32 Calhoun street. The proceeds of this entertainment, for such it will be, will be devoted to the uplifting of humanity. The league has seven objects, each is of great importance and broad enough not to exclude any one. Come help in this great work of brotherhood. Your co-operation is necessary.

BENEATH THE CITY.

A Trip Through the Court House Tunnel.

Contractor Schwartzkopf Pilots a Party of Reporters Underground From Jail to New Building.

Yesterday afternoon, by courtesy of Contractor Louis Schwartzkopf, a party of reporters representing the Journal, News and SENTINEL made a trip through the new court house tunnel. It was an interesting but rather fatiguing journey and a half hour was consumed making the short trip from the power house at the jail to the court house.

The vault of the conduit is not high enough to permit a person of average height to stand erect and the members of the party had to amble along in a stooping posture, guided by the light of lanterns. The tunnel proper is complete, but the large steam pipes and the electric wiring cables are not in position. To the unscientific and unskilled eye of the reporter the tunnel has the appearance of a first-class piece of work that will endure as long as any one now living is interested. Under the Nickel Plate track the construction is of stone and very massive. There is no danger that the foundation of the tracks is not strong enough. The construction under Calhoun street is also amply solid and no danger will ever rise from this source. On the whole the tunnel is an honest piece of work and in the methods of its construction speaks much for the wisdom of the county commissioners.

Miss Hartman, of the News staff, was the only lady in the party and pluckily made the entire trip, which for a woman, was peculiarly difficult.

GIRL CHANGES HER MIND.

Henry Lingle Pays for Wedding Dress, but She Weds F. W. Coulter.

CORNING, Ill., Dec. 10.—Frank W. Coulter, jr., and Miss Edna C. Casper, who live two miles east of town, were married Saturday, December 4, by James F. Wallace.

It has become known that Henry Lingle had been an accepted suitor and that they were to have been married on Tuesday of this week. It is said that Lingle gave the young woman money to assist in purchasing a wedding dress.

Lingle was to have met Miss Casper at a friend's home in Golden Sunday afternoon and it was there he first heard the news of her marriage.

HALF PRICE.

Come early and get first selection of 200 ladies' sample garments we will sell tomorrow at half price. That means a $5.00 jacket for $2.50 and so on—the values all cut in two.

The latest style garments for half money. Don't miss it. WOLF & DESSAUER, 70-72 Calhoun St.

ST. CECILIA.

A beautiful picture of St. Cecilia, in colors, given away with every purchase of 25c or more.

KEIL & KEIL,
116 Calhoun St.

We have the handsomest line of mouldings for framing in the city. Also a large line of Medallions, Etchings, Easels and framed pictures of every description.

A Real Catarrh Cure.

The 10 cent trial size of Ely's Cream Balm which can be had of the druggist is sufficient to demonstrate its great merit. Send 10 cents, we will mail it. Full size, 50c.

ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.

Catarrh caused difficulty in speaking and to a great extent loss of hearing. By the use of Ely's Cream Balm dropping of mucus has ceased, voice and hearing have greatly improved.—J. W. Davidson, Att'y at Law, Monmouth, Ill.

Joseph F. Parrent has retired from the grocery business at 98 Maumee avenue and has been succeeded by Julius L. Catinz, who will make some substantial improvements in the store.

KIDNEY TROUBLES

Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Also Backache.

I cannot speak too highly of Mrs. Pinkham's Medicine, for it has done so much for me. I have been a great sufferer from Kidney trouble, pains in muscles, joints, back and shoulders; feet would swell. I also had womb troubles and leucorrhœa. After using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and Blood Purifier and Liver Pills, I felt like a new woman. My kidneys are now in perfect condition, and all my other troubles are cured.—MRS. MAGGIE PORTZ, 324 Kauffman St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Backache.

My system was entirely run down, and I suffered with terrible backache in the small of my back and could hardly stand upright. I was more tired in the morning than on retiring at night. I had no appetite. Since taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I have gained fifteen pounds, and I look better than I ever looked before. I shall recommend it to all my friends, as it certainly is a wonderful medicine.—MRS. E. F. MONROE, 1043 Hopkins St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Kidney Trouble.

Before taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I had suffered many years with kidney trouble. The pains in my back and shoulders were terrible. My menstruation became irregular, and I was troubled with leucorrhœa. I was growing very weak. I had been to many physicians but received no benefit. I began the use of Mrs. Pinkham's medicine, and the first bottle relieved the pain in my back and regulated the menses. It is the best kind of medicine that I have ever taken, for it relieved the pains so quickly and cured the disease.—MRS. LILLIAN CHEPPEY, Box 77, St. Andrews Bay, Fla.

WASHINGTON WAS KILLED!

Some Unpublished Facts about His Last Illness and the Lesson they Convey to Men and Women of the Present Day.

It is not generally known that General Washington was killed in a most cruel and barbarous manner, but it is, nevertheless, a fact.

At the time of his death, Washington was in his sixty-eight year, a strong, robust man. On December 12, 1799, he contracted a severe cold and pneumonia threatened. Two doctors were summoned, and, in accordance with the absurd customs of those days, they proceeded to bleed their patient. Nearly a quart of blood was taken from his veins, until at last he begged them to let him die in peace. He died that same day—not from disease, but actually from loss of blood. He was killed by ignorance!

In these days, any doctor who treated a patient as Washington was treated, would be indicted for manslaughter. The world has moved since then, and there has been a complete revolution in the practice of medicine. Instead of lowering the vital forces by thinning the blood, advanced physicians now endeavor to build up the strength of their patients. They employ only the latest and most scientific remedies.

And yet, in spite of this fact, we find thousands of people endeavoring to improve their health by taking old fashioned medicines. They forget that chemists and scientists have made great discoveries in recent years, and do not go back to the antiquated remedies and concoctions that were used a hundred years ago. It will not do.

What you, reader, need to cure the headache, dizziness, tired, worn-out and irritable feelings, constipation and bearing-down sensations is some modern discovery based on scientific truths that will strike at the root of the trouble. You are sick because your kidneys and liver are out of order, and you should at once see that they are put in order. "Yes," you say, "this is easy to assert, but what shall I do?" Take the best and most scientific discovery for these troubles you can find. Ask any advanced scientist what this is and he will tell you, Warner's Safe Cure. This discovery stands alone by itself, and far above all so-called medicines of the past or nostrums of the present. In speaking about it Dr. William Edward Robson, of London, says:

"I conscientiously and emphatically state that I have been able to give more relief and effect more cures by the use of Warner's Safe Cure than by any other medicine attainable to the profession." This is high praise, but no higher than the subject deserves as you will readily ascertain upon using this great, modern discovery.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Wheat—Dec., $1.03; old, 98½c; Jan., 95½c; May, 91½c; July, 85½c.

Corn—Dec., 25½c; Jan., 25½c; May, 29½c; July, 30½c.

Oats—Dec., 22c; May, 23½c.

Pork—Dec., $7.33; Jan., $8.25; May, $8.47.

Lard—Dec., $4.17; Jan., $4.22; May, $4.47@4.50.

Ribs—Dec., $4.20; Jan., $4.20@4.22; May, $4.32.

Do not fail to see our new stock at 240 Calhoun St. The new Keystone is the place.

You Can Be Healed
Of throat or lung trouble if you will try the climate cure.

For reliable information write F. T. Hendry, 22 Griswold st., Detroit, Mich.

MACKINTOSCHES.

Rubber Coats for Men and Boys.

Boy's $2.25 and $2.00 rubber coats, at $1.30.

Men's $3.00 and $2.50 rubber coats, at $1.98.

Men's $4.50 mackintoshes, at $2.67.

Men's $10.00 mackintoshes, at $6.00.

Men's $12.50 box coat mackintoshes, at $8.75.

THE BELL,
18 Calhoun St.

Open Saturday nights.

Brotherhood Bazaar this, Saturday, Sunday and Monday evenings, 32 Calhoun street.

AMERICAN HONORED.

Professor Perrine, of Lick Observatory, Awarded a Prize by the French.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 10.—Professor Perrine, one of the members of the Lick observatory, has received a letter from the French academy of science announcing that his work in astronomy has been considered of such value as to merit the bestowal on him of one of the annual prizes. The award will be made at a public meeting in Paris in the latter part of this month.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Christmas Toys cheap at The Fair. Scudder

Our grand opening at 240 Calhoun St. will be an up-to-date affair. Do not fail to call.

Mothers, be sure and use "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. Maywed&w

For Albums, Books, Sleighs, Wagons, Drums, Dolls and Toys, The Fair. Scudder

Ulysses Conrad, of Fort Worth, Texas, is visiting relatives and friends in this county. He formerly lived here.

LOCAL LINES.

F. L. Brown is at Grand Rapids.

The Misses Swinney are at Chicago.

Ben Nindo went to Muncie on legal business today.

A. C. Katt has returned from a business trip to Chicago.

Miss Hedwig Schrey, the musician, has moved to 111 Barr street.

Miss Madeline Morgan has returned from a visit at Chicago.

Mrs. George A. Phillips, of 195 Wallace street, is on the sick list.

O. K. Watts, who has been in Chicago on business, has returned.

W. C. Rastetter has returned home from a western business trip.

Miss Elizabeth Knight entertained the Friday Afternoon Pedro club today.

Miss Lillian Lanforty will entertain the Junior Musical club tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Eliza J. Leach, of 82 Lasalle street, has gone to Louisville, Ky., to visit her cousins.

Miss Schade will take part in a musical program at the University of Chicago tomorrow.

Miss Lillian Matott, of 129 Horace street, who was sick several weeks, has recovered.

Little Paul, son of the Rev. T. J. Johnson and wife, has recovered from a prolonged illness.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Barney Weimantel, of Bluffton, Ind., formerly of Fort Wayne—a girl.

Mrs. S. L. Morris will give a theater party this evening in compliment to her guest, Miss Case, of Denver.

Laurens Ambruster and grandson, Johnnie, of 136 Horace street, have gone to Brooklyn, N. Y., to visit relatives.

The Clover Leaf Temperance club will meet this evening at the home of Miss Ollie Kunts, on South Broadway.

Superintendent Alexander Johnson will address the citizens of Muncie this evening on the subject of "Associated Charities."

C. F. Pfeiffer has decided to build several new houses near the Bowser manufactory next spring. He had three built there the past season.

A. F. Warriner, after two weeks' sickness, is again at his desk in the office of the Old Fort Manufacturing company. He had an attack of bronchitis.

M. A. Webb, after an illness of several weeks, is able to be around. He will resume his duties as traveling salesman in a couple of weeks. Mr. Webb came near having typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Olinger, will go to Auburn on the 18th inst. to take part in a reunion of the Olinger family to be held at the old homestead. The occasion will mark the seventy-seventh birthday anniversary of Mrs. Barbara Olinger, mother of Mrs. Olinger, of this city.

J. W. Fahnestock, of the Wayne, desires THE SENTINEL to state that it was in error when it stated that he shot 175 quail on a recent hunting excursion. He only killed sixty-five birds. The friend who reported the matter probably knew Mr. Fahnestock's ability to bring down the greater number but was not thoughtful enough to consider that Mr. Fahnestock is one of the Nimrods who do not believe in wanton slaughter of feathered creatures. He knows when he has enough.

A DRUMMER'S SAMPLES.

1,100 Men's and Boys' Winter Caps at the Bell's Quit Business Sale.

150 boys' caps, regular 50c caps, at 23c.

185 men's caps, regular 50c caps, at 23c.

215 boys' plush caps, regular 75c caps, at 30c.

235 men's plush caps, regular 75c caps, at 30c.

311 men's caps all shapes and colors, regular 75c caps, at 33c.

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ST. CECILIA.

A beautiful picture of St. Cecilia, in colors, given away with every purchase of 25c or more.

KEIL & KEIL,
116 Calhoun St.

We have the handsomest line of mouldings for framing in the city. Also a large line of Medallions, Etchings, Easels and framed pictures of every description.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—NOTICE OF ELECTION.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 9, 1897.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Fort Wayne will be held at its banking house, Tuesday, January 11th, 1898, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., for the election of seven directors to serve the ensuing year.

LEE R. HARTMAN, Cashier.

LADIES

Dr. Felix Le Brun's Steel & Pennyroyal Treatment is the original and only FRENCH, safe and reliable cure on the market. Price, $1.00; sent by mail. Genuine sold only by

Green & Fellows, 54 Calhoun street. Otto G. Klinkenberg, 86 E. Berry street, corner Clinton street.

Select Your Christmas Presents.

Select your Christmas presents NOW. Don't wait until the assortment is broken. Don't wait until the rush is on, when we cannot half wait upon you.

Don't forget that a useful holiday present is always the most acceptable.

Don't forget that our great store is headquarters for Artistic Furniture, Handsome Carpets, Beautiful Lamps, and the latest in Decorated Toilet Sets and 100 piece Dinner Sets.

Foster Furniture Co.

GROCERS.

Kohrman Bros., Fine staple and fancy groceries, 91 Broadway. Give us a trial and you will become a customer. Both Phones No. 58.

FEED STORE.

W. D. HENDERSON,
Dealer in hay, straw, feed and seeds, pure oil meal, poultry supplies, etc. 83 E. Columbia St. Phone 114.

J. C. PELTIER,

Undertaker and Embalmer.

17 West Wayne Street.

A. Hattersley & Son

PLUMBERS, STEAM AND GAS FITTERS.

48 E. Main Street.

Fort Wayne, Indiana.

SKATES! SKATES!

—A Full Line of—

BARNEY & BERRY —SKATES!—

—The Completest Stock of—

TABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY

IN THIS STATE, AT

F. M. SMITH & CO.,

22 Calhoun Street.

D. D. & W. E. WEISELL

26 Calhoun St.,

DENTISTS

Painless Extracting by our own Safe Method.

The Perfume of Violets

The purity of the lily, the glow of the rose, and the flush of Hebe combine in Pozzoni's wondrous Powder.

Babies Thrive On It.

Gail Borden Eagle Brand Condensed Milk.

Little Book "INFANT HEALTH" Sent FREE. Should be in Every House.

N. Y. CONDENSED MILK CO. NEW YORK.

TEMPLE THEATER

A Whirl of Pleasure.

FRIDAY, DEC. 10.

The Funniest Yet.
TANNEHILL'S COMEDY,

"The Nancy Hanks,"

A Story of a Salted Gold Mine.

Three acts of laughter.—N. Y. World.
"Best stuff."—Chicago Chronicle.

Presented by the Famous Actress,

MARIE JANSEN

And a Great Company.

HEAR JANSEN'S BRIGHT SONGS.

"Wake Off the Yacht," "Gaspisen," "Since Mary West Along," "Tom Dib, Japanese Dolls."

Seats on sale Wednesday.
Prices—25, 50, 75c and $1.00.

A Handsome Complexion is one of the greatest charms a woman can possess. Pozzoni's Complexion Powder gives it.

Good Coffee is the One Thing Nearly Every Family Wants.

We Make A Business Of Furnishing The Best At a Moderate Price.

G. E. BURSLEY & CO'S HIGH GRADE COFFEE. FRESH, PURE, CLEAN, RICH, STRONG. FORT WAYNE, IND.

Ask Your Grocer for—

Bursley's Blend or High Grade.

G. E. BURSLEY & CO.

THE SOROSIS

"IS THE NEW SHOE FOR WOMEN."

It is the successful result of more than two years experience and thousands of dollars expense to construct a shoe that will fit the foot without "breaking in" and be attractive and stylish in appearance.

The Sorosis is the Hit of the Century.

The Sorosis FITS THE FOOT, most shoes compel the foot to fit the shoe.

THE HOOSIER SHOE STORE,

O. B. FITCH, PROP. -:- Exclusive Agents.

FOR CHRISTMAS.

Roger Bros. 1847 Triple Plated Silver Knives and Forks, $3.25 per doz.

Tea Spoons, $1.35, Table Spoons, $2.50 set.

112 Piece Decorated Porcelain China Dinner Set, only $7.50.

Triple Silver Plated Carving set, stamped 1847.

Genuine Haviland Decorated China Dinner Set, 112 pieces, worth $50, only $34.50.

Decorated Lamp and Shade, 75c each.

Large Gold Banquet Lamp, $2.25 each.

We will Lay Away Any Purchase Until Christmas.

WARD'S CHINA STORE.

IN VIEW OF THE FACT

That people are looking for good things, we have determined to help them in their search. Our stock of Rockers, Parlor Goods, Couches and Christmas Novelties bristle with temptation for thoughtful buyers. Few of us have more money than we need, and to make it buy all that we need, economy is necessary. Our values and prices are calculated to please and surprise every purchaser; it is the unexpected prices that are most appreciated. We carry the largest assortment of Holiday Furniture in the city. A hand sled will be given Free with every $5.00 purchase this week.

Indiana Furniture Co.,

166 Calhoun St., and 25 W. Main St.

This is the exact size and shape of the Regular Spanish Cigar. The only 10c Cigar that sells for 5c. Made by

KASTEN & KOHLMEYER, 148 Calhoun Street.

WHEN OVERCOME —BY THAT— OVERCOAT FEELING, —VISIT— LEHMAN'S

Overcoat Department.

The greatest values we or any other house have ever shown.

KERSEY OVERCOATS,

For dress, ranging in price from

$5 to $25.

MEN'S

Light Colored; Covert and Whip Cord Top Coats, for dress.

Reefer Coats

For Boys, 3 to 16 years of age.

Boucles, Astrachans and Chinchillas,

Ranging in price from

$2 to $7.50.

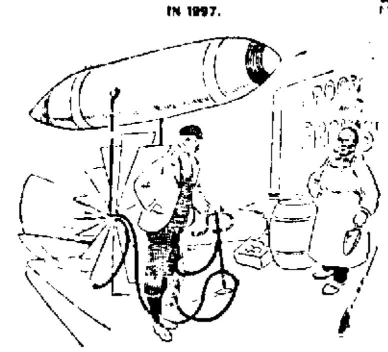
Leather Leggins for Boys, $1.00.

Jersey Leggins for Boys, 75 cents.

LEHMAN'S

34 and 36 Calhoun St.

IN 1997.



Aeronaut—I must have some ballast for my air ship.
Grocer—Try some of our sugar.
Aeronaut—But I need sand.
Grocer—Well what do you suppose yer gittin'?

NEW FACTORY.

Frederick J. Thieme Embarks in the Hosiery Business.

Will Build a Shop and Confine His Business to the Manufacture of Children's Wear.

Frederick J. Thieme has commenced the erection of a 40x60 one-story brick building adjoining the Wayne Knitting mills, which he will equip with machinery for the manufacture of children's hosiery. He has ordered fourteen machines from Germany and Philadelphia and when they are ready for operation he will employ between thirty and forty people. The power for driving this machinery will be derived from the steam plant at the Wayne Knitting mills. Mr. Thieme is alone in this enterprise, which does not come in competition with the Wayne Knitting Mill company.

FAST RUN RECORDS SMASHED.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Dec. 10.—A record-breaking fast run was made by the Union Pacific east-bound fast mail train, between Cheyenne and North Platte. The train, which was the second section of east-bound No. 2, made the run between Tipton and Wamsutter Station, on the Wyoming division, at the rate of seventy-eight miles an hour. From Cheyenne to Sidney, a distance of 102 miles, the running time was ninety-seven minutes. From Sidney to North Platte, 114 miles, the time was 117 minutes, being the fastest run in the history of the road.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS ITEMS.

George White, of the Pittsburg planing mills, is sick.

Machinist Ernest Tegtmeyer, of the Pittsburg shops, is off duty on account of sickness.

Capt. J. C. Kemell resumed his place in the Pittsburg boiler shop this morning after an illness of a month.

S. R. Bechtor, of the draughting department of the electric works, who has been quite sick for two or three weeks, is getting better and will probably soon be able to resume his office duties.

John Weber, of the Pittsburg round house, will spend a portion of next week with friends in Richmond, Ind.

J. J. Sims, trainmaster of the Detroit division of the Wabash road, is in the city attending court and visiting friends.

The Electric corporation this morning sent one of the large Wood dynamos, a 150-light arc machine, to DePere, Wis.

E. W. Hall, of Spanhauer's spoke works, is lying very ill at his home on Fletcher avenue. He is threatened with lockjaw.

Frank Harder, of the shipping department of the electric works, is confined to his home, 3rd East Wayne street, by sickness.

Captain E. H. Harrison, foreman of the iron machine department of the Pittsburg car shop, is sick, and Richard Hartnett is acting as foreman.

Fred Strope has returned to the city after an unsuccessful search for work in the east. He has the promise of work here and will remain.

The Trades and Labor council will hold an election of officers tonight. There are many candidates for honors and the contest promises to be a spirited one.

F. Daude, of the Pittsburg planing mills, was called out to his father's farm last night by a message which stated that his sister and brother were very sick.

Samuel Rothrock has returned from Jeffersonville, Ind., where he spent two weeks in placing some electrical machinery in the state reformatory building.

E. L. Field, of the Pittsburg machine shop, fell on the pavement on his way home a few nights ago and severely sprained his back and hips. He will be off duty for several days.

Mrs. Peter Friend went to Lima, Ohio, this morning, to spend the holidays with her husband, who is now a passenger conductor on the Lima Northern railroad. The family may take up their residence in Lima next spring.

Nickel Plate Conductor Spangler has resumed his train duties after a few days absence.

Gus Hobrock has resigned his position as fireman and taken a position in the electric works. He is a machinist.

The Pullman works are turning out new box cars for the Chesapeake and Ohio road at the rate of forty a day.

After an illness of three weeks, Engineer W. Morris has resumed his place at the throttle of a Nickel Plate engine.

Freight traffic continues heavy with the Pittsburg, there being twenty-three trains in and out of this city yesterday.

Joe Tillotson, late of Cadillac, but a former citizen of this city, passed through here Monday evening on his way to Mexico. Joe has legions of friends, both here and all along the Grand Rapids and Indiana railway, where he is best known, who unite in wishing him abundant prosperity in his new home. He was a fireman on the Grand Rapids and Indiana for a number of years.

George Likely, the Nickel Plate engineer, has gone into Southern Illinois to look after some farm property which he possesses.

A lively speed war between the Louisville and Nashville and the Queen and Crescent is very imminent on New Orleans and South western business.

At one time on the Panhandle, on Sunday, between Idlewood and Roslyn, there were three miles of freight trains, there having been a slight delay in the train movement.

The Chesapeake and Ohio has just opened at Clifton Forge a new hospital, provided with everything possible to make it comfortable for sick and injured employes who are sent there to be cared for.

C. H. Gallivan, a Nickel Plate brakeman, who had been employed on one of the short runs out of Bellevue, Ohio, has been transferred to this city and given a through freight run on the third district.

Last Sunday the Baltimore and Ohio company handled twenty-four theatrical troupes, including 553 people. The heavy business in this line has excited comment, it being suspected that something irregular has transpired.

Merch Baldwin, of Trainmaster R. K. Blair's office, is taking a vacation and during his absence the duties of the office will be performed by John Hughes, from the yardmaster's office. Harry Rancevan has taken the vacated place in the yard office.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Porter—a son. This is the first child in the family, which fact explains the otherwise unaccountable exuberance of joy depicted in the father's countenance as he goes about his business at the Wabash freight house. He is the foreman at that place.

Indianapolis Journal; "To anticipate the tests between Chicago and New York over the Pennsylvania lines that it is believed that next spring the time table will show a train in both directions which will make the run between these cities in twenty hours. The schedule of its fastest train is now twenty-four hours."

Despite the fatal wreck on the New York Central a few weeks ago at Garrison the road is now doing the largest passenger business at any time in its history. Passengermen say the traveling public looks upon accidents in a very sensible manner, well knowing that a like accident is not likely to occur in many years, if ever again.

Yesterday's Toledo Bee published an old story which appeared in THE SENTINEL two or three years ago. It is about Frank Speidle, of the Bass foundry, who threw his pay envelope, containing $60, into the ladle of molten iron instead of throwing in an envelop containing manganese, which is used to toughen the metal. The Bee prefixes the story as follows: "Sixty dollars in gold is whirling over the Pennsylvania system daily and as yet there has been no attempt by anybody to secure the yellow metal."

The New York Mail and Express says: "A number of applicants have already appeared for the vacancy on the board of arbitrators of the Joint Traffic association caused by the retirement of Vice President Hobart. At least twenty names are now mentioned for the place. The salary attached to the office of arbitrator is $5,000. The special committee may report its choice to the presidents at the meeting December 17, or it may be necessary as a last resort to allow the two arbitrators to select their colleague. Whatever the process may be, it is certain that the following gentlemen, among others, will receive consideration: E. B. Stahlman, formerly commissioner of the old Southern Railway and Steamship association; Joseph Nimmo, jr., and H. K. Thurber."

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

NOW IS THE TIME

To purchase your Holiday Goods, and we will make it to your advantage to purchase them of us by giving special prices, such as have never been offered before at this season of the year.

SPECIAL SALE.... OF

Children's Suits, Reefers and Overcoats.

All Children's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, regular price, $1.75, $2.00, $2.25--Now $1.50.
All Children's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, regular price, 2.50, 2.75, 3.00--Now $2.00.
All Children's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, regular price, 3.25, 3.50, 3.75, $4.00--Now $3.
All Children's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, regular price, 5.00, 6.00, 7.00, 7.50--Now $5.

The original price on every garment, no marks Changed, no tickets altered. Come and see for yourselves.

The Cheapest Line of Men's Overcoats and Suits

In the city, considering quality and make. We carry no shoddy trash, but give you good, reliable goods at the same prices others charge you for shoddy goods.

Men's Overcoats.

$ 6.00. It is not often that you get a good reliable Overcoat at this price, but that is what we give you.
$ 7.00. At this price we give you an excellent garment, whose wear and sightliness can not be equaled.
$ 8.00. A fine, nobby, dressy Overcoat, equal in looks to many garments costing $12.00 to $15.00.
$ 9.00. These Overcoats are really special values, of unexceptional beauty.
$10.00. At this price our line can not be equaled in the city.
$12.00. These garments, blue, black and brown Kerseys and Meltons, are worth fully $15.00.
$15.00. Friese, Kerseys, Meltons, Cheviots, Tweeds, Nigger Heads, the best and largest assortment in the city.

Men's Suits.

$ 3.00. A man's Suit, and a pretty one, too.
$ 4.00. A good strong Suit, not a thread of shoddy.
$ 5.00. At this price we start our All-Wool Suits.
$ 6.00. At this low price we offer 20 lines for your inspection.
$ 7.00. Bargains at this price without number.
$ 8.00. Neat, nobby Suits at this price are beauties.
$ 9.00. Some exceptional values at this price.
$10.00. Fully 50 styles, all real bargains.
$12.00. Nobby dress and business Suits, worth fully $15.00.
$13.50. These Suits are in fully 20 styles.
$15.00. At this price you will find a line equal to any in the city at $18.00 and $20.00.

Overcoats for Young Men.

Our line of Young Men's Overcoats and Ulsters are at one and the same time the most extensive, best assorted and lowest priced line in the city. We offer you numberless real bargains, beginning at an excellent garment at $2.50, and from that up at $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $5.00, $6.00, $7.00, $8.00, $9.00, $10.00 and $12.00. All are really bargains. This is especially true of our $5.00, $6.00 and $7.00 line. Our line of Ulsters is just as extensive and as varied as our line of Overcoats. Your careful inspection is invited.

Suits.

In Suits, as in Overcoats, in this line we have excelled ourselves. We commence our line at $3, which means a Suit really worth $4.50. At $5.00 our extensive line contains many Suits really worth $7.00, while our line at $6.00 contains real bargains that can not be purchased elsewhere for less than $8.00. At $8.00, $9.00 and $10.00 our line is most extensive, and at these prices we have purchased large lines, early this fall, when goods were low, and sell them on small profits. We can truthfully say we can give better values than others can.

Smoking Jackets.

This is our first season in this line, consequently our line is entirely new and strictly up-to-date. We handle the finest make of Smoking Jackets in the world—Beirman, Heidelberg & Co. Price $5.00 to $10.00. All the latest styles only.

FRIEND'S CLOTHING STORE,

COR. CALHOUN AND BERRY STS.

FOR MEN ONLY.

Overcoats at the Bell Quit Business Sale.

185 men's blue beaver overcoats, velvet collars, sizes 34 to 44, regular $8.50 overcoats, at $1.85.

115 men's black beaver overcoats, with velvet collars, sizes 34 to 44, regular $5.50 overcoats, at $4.85.

68 men's black or blue Kersey overcoats, sizes 34 to 44, regular $10 overcoats, at $8.00.

75 men's black or blue Melton overcoats, handsomely trimmed, regular $18 and $15 overcoats, at $9.90.

38 men's heavy ulsters, large collars, sizes 34 to 44, regular $6.50 overcoats, at $3.90.

81 men's heavy ulsters, large collars, regular $9.00 overcoat, at $4.90.

82 men's heavy ulsters, large collars, regular $12 overcoats, at $5.85.

THE BELL,
18 Calhoun Street.

Open Saturday nights until 11 p. m.

Now Will You be Good

If I take you to the largest toy store where they are selling out, and they have anything and everything to please the little ones, and that doll carriage for $1.00 is a cracker jack.

Call and examine and you will be satisfied.

TEMPLE OF ECONOMY,
No. 9 East Main St.
A. R. HILLS.

Get your boy a pair of Boots, Mittens, Sleigh and a Drum at The Fair.

Globe

Headquarters for
—Holiday Presents
—IN—

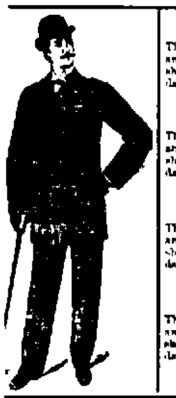
MEN'S AND BOYS' ATTIRE.

Our mammoth line of Christmas Novelties is so very complete that it will eclipse any line ever shown in Fort Wayne. The success of our efforts in selecting such a choice stock will fill our store with so many pleased patrons, that we

WARN THE PUBLIC Not to Wait Too Long,

Because, first, the choice things may be selected and then the last few days before Christmas our store will be so crowded that it will be almost impossible for us to wait on the trade, as it does not take the Fort Wayne people long to find out where is the best place to make their Christmas Purchases.

Just Come and See oooooooooooooo Just Come and See



The new choice line of Men's Dress and Business Suits that we will show for our Holiday trade at $ 8.50

The new choice line of Men's Dress and Business Suits that we will show for our Holiday trade at $10.00

The new choice line of Men's Dress and Business Suits that we will show for our Holiday trade at $12.50

The new choice line of Men's Dress and Business Suits that we will show for our Holiday trade at $15.00

BENJAMIN BOX OVERCOAT
LENGTH 42 INCHES

The new grand values in Men's Overcoats and Ulsters we will show for our Holiday trade at $ 8.50

New grand values in Men's Overcoats and Ulsters we will show for our Holiday trade at $10.00

New grand values in Men's Overcoats and Ulsters we will show for our Holiday trade at $12.50

New grand values in Men's Overcoats and Ulsters we will show for our Holiday trade at $15.00

Just See Our New Line of

DRESS SUITS

In Sack, Cutaway, Prince Albert and Full Dress, that we are showing for our Holiday trade, at

$18, $20 and $25.

$5 Will buy your choice of about 250 all wool, honest made Suits, Overcoats and Ulsters that we have marked down from $6.00, $7.00 and $7.50 for our Holiday trade.

Just See the New Line of Choice Extra

HIGH GRADE—
—FINE OVERCOATS

We are showing for the Holiday Trade, at

$18, $20 and $25.

$7.00 Will buy your choice of about 200 Suits, Overcoats and Ulsters, that we have marked down from $8.50 and $10.

THE FACT THAT WE HAVE THE

Only Exclusive Boys' Parlor In Fort Wayne

Has caused us to make an extra effort to supply a new choice line of sensible Christmas presents for the little fellows

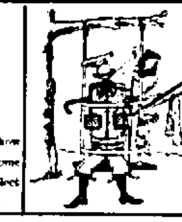
JUST SEE our new line of Boys' Suits from $3.50 up to $15.

Our new line of Boys' Overcoats and Ulsters from $4 up to $12.50.

Our new line of Child's Suits, Overcoats and Reefers which we'll offer for our Holiday trade at $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $4.00, $5.00 and up to $8.50.

You Will Smile

With pleasure when you see how easy it is to select a handsome Christmas Gift out of our select stock of Hats and Furnishings.



GLOBE

Just See Our New Line of

Smoking Jackets, Neckwear,
Umbrella and Cane Setts, Mufflers,
Handkerchiefs, Shirts, Suspenders,
Hats, Caps, Mackintoshes
And Sweaters

For Men, Boys and Children.

WANTED.

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LOST.

[illegible]

FOR RENT.

[illegible]

FOR SALE.

[illegible]

PROFESSIONAL.

[illegible]

The Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York.

[illegible]

D. C. FISHER.

[illegible]

BEFORE BUYING

Christms Presents

Call and see the

....LIGHT RUNNING STANDARD.

Also Boys' and Ladies' Skate Carver Setts, Plated Knives and Forks, Tea and Table Spoons, Clothes Wringers and Washing Machines, Flat Irons, Pocket Knives and also all, the

Standard Cabinet Crank Sewing Machine.

Pfeiffer & Schlatter,
38 and 40 East Columbia Street.

J. F. ZIMMERLY & CO.,
Practical Plumbers,
Gas and Steam Fitters.

Where Holiday Gifts......
Abound in Profusion.

The rapid approach of Christmas [illegible] the [illegible] of gift giving. Naturally the thought is this way [illegible] Fort Wayne's great store is fully equipped to meet the holiday demands.

...For Chinaware and Cut Glass...
TAKE ELEVATOR TO SECOND FLOOR.

You will find there the daintiest and [illegible] lines ever brought to this city.

Gloves for Gifts.

At $1.00—2 snap [illegible] [illegible] in all colors [illegible] [illegible] backs, 2 snap Mocha gloves and 8 B Mousquetaires at $1.00, the finest lined kid mitten ever sold in this city.

At $1.25—Elegant lines silk lined Mocha gloves.

At $1.50—The celebrated [illegible] kids in all shades.

Complete lines of Dent's and Fowne's fine gloves. At all times a complete line of Foster [illegible] kids from $1.00 to $2.00.

NIAGARA SHIRTS

Laundried, put up one in a box, a handsome gift to men.

75c, $1.00, $1.25 to $1.50

FOR MEN'S WEAR

A fine assortment of night shirts, plain and trimmed.

50c, 75c, 85c, $1 and $1.25

SUSPENDERS

Made of satin and silk webbing, neatly embroidered.

25c, 50c, 75c to $1.50

HANDKERCHIEFS.

To meet the great demand, this department had to be enlarged.

Men's hemstitched linen, 10, 12 to 25c
Men's linen hemstitched, 15, 20c to $1
Men's initial, 15, 25, 25c to $1.00
Men's silk hemstitched [illegible]
Men's embroidered, 25c to $1.00
Elegant lines of Silk Mufflers, white and colored, 50c to $3.50 each.

We are the only house selling the genuine Monarch kids, all sizes and shades in stock.

Root & Company.

The Evening Sentinel.

FRIDAY, DEC. 10, 1897.

OUR TELEPHONES.

Business Office . . . . No. 273.
Editorial Rooms . . . . No. 436.

The Weather.

Washington, Dec. 10.—For Indiana: Rain tonight and Saturday; colder in extreme northwest portion tonight; probably colder Saturday afternoon or night; fresh southerly winds.

NEWS NOTES.

Miss Grace Horton, of Bluffton, is visiting in the city.

Miss Ida Bulger has returned from a visit at Hillsdale, Mich.

Mrs. Henry J. Meyer, jr., will celebrate her birthday anniversary this evening by giving a family dinner party.

The superintendent and teachers of the schools of Monroeville were in the city yesterday, observing in the Jefferson building.

Mrs. Arnold Polster, wife of the Bloomingdale druggist, left for Pittsburg this morning to visit friends and relatives for a month.

Thomas Hare, a candymaker for Daniel Myers, of Columbia City, has arrived in the city, having been called here by the illness of his wife.

The Thursday Afternoon Whist club was entertained yesterday by Mrs. W. Kuhn. The first prize was won by Mrs. F. Y. Grow and the second by Mrs. B. F. Carter.

Last evening Miss May Jones, of No. 63 West Butler street, was taken by a surprise by about thirty of her friends at 12 o'clock. A dainty luncheon was served and a most enjoyable time was had by all.

Miss Anna Korbach entertained the Midnight Pedro club last evening. The first prizes were carried off by Miss Anna Walsh and William Klingenberger and the booby prizes by Miss Hayes and William Weber.

Members of the Ladies' auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. met at Mrs. Thieme's last evening and surprised Mrs. J. C. Cromwell, who has been treasurer of the society for a good many years. As a token of esteem Mrs. Cromwell was presented with a pair of gold spectacles.

The annual election of officers of Shiloh chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, was held last night, with the following result: Mrs. Susan Clark, worthy matron; J. H. Brokaw, worthy patron; Martha E. Wohlpert, secretary; Mrs. Sopia J. Hall, treasurer; Emma Vollmer, conductress; Mrs. Mary Metzner, assistant conductress. Installation, January 11.

Hubert Nuelhammer is confined to his house with an attack of rheumatism.

240 Means 240 Calhoun St., where the grand opening will be tomorrow.

Christmas Toys at The Fair.
[illegible]

The Pape Furniture company's store will be open every evening from now until after Christmas.

See the complete line of silk [illegible] at Reuben S. Patterson's.

Brotherhood Bazaar this, Saturday, Sunday and Monday evenings, 32 Calhoun street.

All kinds of Holiday Goods.
[illegible] The Fair.

240 Calhoun St. is where you will get a nice souvenir tomorrow with your purchase.

Arnold's Bromo-Celery. All headache men suffer from headache. This remedy cures it. 10 cents. Sold by Gross & Dellers.

Brotherhood Bazaar this, Saturday, Sunday and Monday evenings, 32 Calhoun street.

The Climate Cure.

Throat and lung diseases are healed by a residence in a proper climate. Sufferers may learn where to go by addressing F. T. Hendry, 63 Griswold St., Detroit, Mich.

For a winter suit or overcoat, at the lowest price, call on Schmidt, the tailor, 70 E. Main street. Fit guaranteed.

Brotherhood Bazaar this, Saturday, Sunday and Monday evenings, 32 Calhoun street.

Go to The Fair for your Christmas Toys. A large variety.

THE BOSTON STORE.
CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

If you are looking for useful Christmas Presents our store is the place to do your trading.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

New styles for Christmas at [illegible]
[illegible] for Christmas at 25c.
New all wool goods, 40 inches wide, at 29c.
All 60c and 75c Dress Goods will be sold now until Christmas at 50c.
Special low prices on all Black Dress Goods.

HANDKERCHIEF DEPARTMENT.

We can show you the largest variety and best value in 10, 12½, 15 and 25c goods.

UMBRELLAS. UMBRELLAS.

Ladies' Umbrellas with steel rod and celluloid handles, at $1.00.
Ladies' Umbrellas with steel rod and pearl handles at $1.75.
Mackintoshes for ladies and children at special low prices.
Kid Gloves for ladies in all the new shades at 75c and $1.00, best value in the city. New lace curtains for Christmas.
New Tapestry curtains for Christmas.
New Ladies' Wrappers for Christmas.
Do your Christmas trading at the Boston Store, our Christmas bargains are great money savers.

WM. HAHN & CO.,
THE BOSTON STORE.

J. G. THIEME & SON,
Clothiers and Tailors.

Gentlemen's Overcoats

Made of Blue, Black, Brown Kersey and Beavers; Velvet Collars. Real $12 values; at this sale, $7.

A Better Overcoat

Made of pure all-wool Kerseys, Meltons and Beavers, in blue, black and brown. Sold at other stores for $15.00; our prices $10.00.

A large line of Men's Overcoats for $4.00, $5.00 and $7.00.

Men's Ulster Overcoats at $5.00, $7.00 and $10.00.

Men's very Stylish Suits made of all-wool Cheviots and Cashmeres at $5.00, $6.00, $8.00.

Better Suits, $10.00, $12.00, $15.00.

Working Pants. OUR OWN MAKE. 75c, $1.00, $1.25 to $3.00.

Children's Overcoats at $2 to $10.

Children's Knee Pants Suits from $1.50 to $7.

Hats, Caps, Underwear at very lowest prices.

In our Tailoring Department we make Suits to order from $15 to $40.

J. G. THIEME & SON,
Corner Columbia and Clinton Streets,
FORT WAYNE, - - INDIANA.

Clairvoyant!
50c--And Up--50c.
For One Week More.
Mrs. Idella Rose.

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Parlors
148 E. Washington St.

Beautiful Toilet Novelties
FOR HOLIDAY TRADE.
All Kinds of MANICURE SETS.
Genuine Tortoise Shell Combs and Hair Ornaments.
The largest line ever brought to the city.
New York Hair Baazar,
124 CALHOUN ST. Lau Block.

MONEY!
Money to loan on Farm and City Real Estate at the lowest rates of interest. We have the money on hand to close loans at once.
The J. F. Schell Loan & Investment Co.
[illegible] Fort Wayne, Ind.

MONEY TO LOAN
At lowest rate on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons, carriages, etc., and leave the property in your possession.
Payments arranged on the month by installment plan or to suit you.
Loans placed same day application is made.
No charges taken out in advance. Business confidential. No publicity.
Fort Wayne Mortgage Loan Co., [illegible] Calhoun

R. B. GREENE,
CONTRACTOR.
Cabinet Work and Joinery in all its branches.
[illegible] Fort Wayne, Ind.

NOTICE.
Drop me a postal card or telephone, and I will call. [illegible] Furniture Stores and everything else. [illegible]
175 CALHOUN STREET.
Opposite Court House.

SAM, PETE & MAX CLOTHIERS. 58 CALHOUN ST.

Holiday Goods....
FOR
Men, Boys and Children.

Silk Umbrellas.
Cane and Umbrella Setts.
Mufflers.
Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs.
Magnificent Neckwear.
Silk Suspenders.
Men's and Boys' Suits.
Men's and Boys' Overcoats.
Children's Suits and Reefers.

There is no place in town where you can find so many nice, sensible Christmas presents as here. Be sure you come here before you decide on your presents.

Sam, Pete & Max,
58 Calhoun St.

Big Slipper Sale
Now ON AT
THE BIG STORE,
S. B. THING & CO.,
32 Calhoun St. Large Red Boot.

Facts as plain as the footsteps Robinson Crusoe discovered; facts that will stick; facts that will do you good to know; you can get from us Pianos, Organs, Guitars, Mandolins, Banjos, Violins, Autoharps, Harmonicas, and all kinds of musical instruments that will stand the most critical examination, bear us out in every promise we make, and give the fullest satisfaction. We also have the largest and most complete line of Sheet Music in the city.

We court examination, invite inspection and await your verdict.

PACKARD PIANO AND ORGAN COMPANY.
RETAIL STORE. 120 CALHOUN ST.

SAVE YOUR MONEY
By Depositing it With the
Allen County Loan & Savings Association,
32 East Berry Street.
Try our New Plan. Shares $1.00 each per month. [illegible]
No Fines or Membership Fee.

MONEY TO LOAN
On real estate or personal security. C. F. PFEIFFER, Rooms 6-7, Bass Blk.

Go to G. Schmidt & 70 East Main street, for a winter overcoat. New patterns. Fit guaranteed.

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LOOK
THIS IS NO JOKE.
[illegible]

MONEY TO LOAN
[illegible]
PARTIAL PAYMENTS [illegible]

FOR HOLIDAY GIFTS
[illegible]
Brotherhood Bazaar,
Vordermark's hall, 32 Calhoun St.
Saturday and Monday Night. On Sunday [illegible]
[illegible]
INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD LEAGUE
[illegible]

W. F. SCHRADER, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon.
32 E. Washington Street.
SPECIALTY: DISEASES OF THE RECTUM.
Office Hours [illegible]
Telephone No. 201.

Dyspepsia, [illegible]
A. C. COCKE, Druggist.

THE ABSTRACT OFFICE.
KUENE & CO., 19 COURT STREET.
Abstract of Titles.
Mortgage Loans.

Cost Sale...
OF LADIES' FINE JACKETS.

We have some very fine Jackets and Blouses that we will offer tomorrow at

ACTUAL COST.

Will also offer a sample line of 25 Children's Jackets in fine qualities at

...1-3 OFF...

MACKINTOSH SALE.

We have purchased from the best manufacturer a lot of LADIES' MACKINTOSHES at greatly reduced prices. Each garment is absolutely perfect, and you can return them if not perfectly satisfactory.

$4.50 Quality at $3.00.
$5.00 Quality at $3.98.
$6.50 Quality at $4.75.
$7.50 Quality at $5.00.

A great chance for extra values.

FUR COLLARETTES—An entirely new line of these popular goods. New and nobby styles.

LADIES' PETTICOATS—At special prices for tomorrow; satins, brocades, [illegible], Moreens and Silks in blacks and colors.

With every $5 purchase we give a ticket in our free distribution of a Columbia Bicycle.

DUNN & TAFT.
54 Calhoun Street.

Butter, Meats and Flour.

Best Country Roll Butter, 14c lb.
Best Sugar Cured Shoulders, 6c lb.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 9c lb.
South Whitley Mills' Best Flour, $4.60 barrel.
City Mills, Orff's, Bloomingdale and Globe Mills best Flour, $4.75 barrel.
New Buckwheat Flour, 25c sack.
Finest Vermont Maple Syrup, 90c gallon.
Fruit House.

HALF PRICE.

Come early and get first selection of 200 ladies' sample garments we will sell tomorrow at half price. That means a $5.00 jacket for $2.50 and so on--the values all cut in two.

The latest style garments for half money. Don't miss it. WOLF & DESSAUER, 70-72 Calhoun St.

New Orleans Sugar Down.

Just received 100 barrels new, bright, dry Sugar, which we are selling ½c pound lower than Eastern Sugars.

Open Kettle Brown, 3c lb.
Refined Yellow, 3½c lb.
Nice White Extra C, 4c lb.
Clarified White Sugar, 4½c lb.
Fruit House.

JACOBS SHOE STORE.

Special for tomorrow--200 pairs ladies' heavy mat calf lace shoes, all sizes, at $2.50. Regular price, $3.00. Also 100 pairs gents' heavy calf shoes, heavy calf lined, high tops, worth $3.50 and $4.00; tomorrow at $2.98.
JACOBS SHOE STORE,
17 Calhoun.

For Christmas and New Years Cake.

New Leghorn Citron, 14c lb.
Lemon and Orange Peel, 11c lb.
New Zante Currants, 8c lb.
Good California Raisins, 5c lb.
California Seedless Raisins, 8c lb.
Seedless Sultana Raisins, 11c lb.
New London Layer Raisins, 10c lb.
New Layer Figs, 11c lb.
New Sicily Shelled Almonds, 25c lb.
New Mixed Nuts, 10c lb.
Fruit House.

240 is where the new Keystone store is located--at 240 Calhoun.

BOYS' REEFERS.

A Sled Given Away Free With Each Boys' Reefer.

Boys' reefers, sailor collars, ages 4 to 8, regular $2.50 quality, at $1.50, in order to sell them out.

Boys' reefers, sailor collars, ages 4 to 8, regular $4 reefers, at $2.50, in order to sell them out.

Boys' reefers, large ulsterette collars, ages 8 to 16, regular $6 reefers—we will sell them at $3.98.

Boys' reefers, large ulster collars, ages 8 to 16, regular $7 reefers, at $4, to sell them out.

The Bell,
16 Calhoun St.

The PEOPLE'S STORE.

Our Display of HOLIDAY GOODS, Better, Grander and Larger than Ever Before. Thousands of Useful Articles.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

150 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 15c, all at **10c** each.

250 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 20c, all at **12½c** each.

100 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 25c, all at **19c** each.

225 dozen Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, worth 35c, all at **25c** each.

Ladies' and Gent's White Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, at **5c, 10c, 12½c, 17c and 25c** each.

Ladies' and Gent's Initial Handkerchiefs, at **5c, 10c, 12½c, 15c and 25c** each.

Gent's Hemstitched colored border Handkerchiefs, at **5c, 6½c, 10c, 12c, 12½c, 17c and 25c.**

China Silk Initial Handkerchiefs for Ladies' and Gent's, at **25c** and **39c** each.

GLOVES AND MITTENS.

Ladies' 2-clasp Kid Gloves, all shades, at **89c** pair.

Ladies' 2-clasp, 4 button and 5-hook Kid Gloves, all shades, at **$1.00** pair.

Ladies' Kid Mittens, at **75c** and **$1.00** pair.

Ladies' Black Silk Mittens, at **59c** and **$1.00** pair.

Children's Kid Mittens **50c** and **75c.**

Ladies' and Children's Wool Mittens at **10c, 15c, 25c and 39c** pair.

Ribbons and Fancy Goods

Satin and Moire Ribbons, in all colors and widths, at **5c, 10c, 15c, 20c** and **25c.**

New Lace Ties, at **25c, 50c, 65c, 75c, $1.00** and **$1.25** each.

New Silk and Chiffon Fronts, at **$1.25, $1.90** and **$2.50** each.

Chiffon Neck Ruches, at **50c, 75c** and **$1.00** each.

Novelties in Lace and Chiffon Neckwear, at **50c, 75c, $1, $1.25** and **$1.50.**

Satin-covered Pin Cushions, all colors, at **25c** and **39c** each.

Dresser, Bureau and Side Board Scarfs and Setts, in Roman, Linen and Swiss Applique, at **25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00** and upward.

Silk Embroidered Piano Drapes, at **$1.25, $1.98** and **$2.98** each.

Pocket Books, Purses and Bags, at **25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00** and **$1.25** each.

APRONS—A splendid new lot for the Holidays at **25c, 50c, 75c** and **$1.00** each.

Wool Fascinators, **25c, 39c, 50c, 75c** and **$1.00** each.

[illegible] **50c, 75c, $1.00** and **$1.25** each.

DECORATION CREPE, spotted, new and looks like silk; just the thing for decorating and for Dolls and evening dresses, all the pretty colors, at 7c [illegible].

CLOAKS.

Nothing more useful or desirable for a Christmas present than a Winter Cloak. You can buy them now at nearly half price. All our Cloaks to be sold at Sale Prices from now till Christmas.

All Cloaks that sold from $5.00 to $7.00, choice of the lot for **$3.98.**

All Cloaks that sold from $7.50 to $9.00, choice of the lot for **$5.**

All Cloaks that sold at $10.00 and $11.00, choice of the lot for **$7.50.**

All Cloaks that sold at $15.00, choice of the lot for **$10.**

All the $20.00 and $25.00 Cloaks go at **$15** each.

MACKINTOSHES.

All new Garments at lower prices than you can buy them anywhere.

Ladies' Mackintoshes at **$1.90, $2.90, $3.90** and **$5.**

Children's Mackintoshes, at **$1.25, $1.75, $2.25** and **$3.50.**

FURS.

Fur Collarettes at **$2.50, $3.90, $5, $7.50, $10, $15,** in all the choice Furs, such as Electric Seal, Astrachan, Wool Seal, Martin, Krimmer, Beaver, etc.

Muffs at **50c, $1, $1.50, $2, $2.75, $3.75** each. In all the Furs.

Children's Fur Setts in Angora, Thibet Lamb's Wool etc., at **$1.39, $1.90, $2.75, $375** and **$5.**

UMBRELLAS.

Ladies' Fine Silk Umbrellas, steel rod, at **$1** and **$1.25** each. With Pearl and Dresden handles, at **$1.75** each.

With Silver and Pearl Handles, at **$2.38** each.

Ladies' Colored Silk Umbrellas, all colors, silk cases, with Pearl and natural Handles, at **$3** and **$3.25** each.

Gent's Umbrellas, a complete stock, at **$1, $1.25, $1.50, $2, $2.25, $2.50** and **$3** each.

SHAWLS.

Beaver and Double Shawls, at **$2.75, $3, $3.75** and **$5** each.

Black Cashmere Shawls, at **$1.25, $1.50, $2** and up to **$10** each.

SKIRTS.

Wool Skirt Patterns, at **50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50** and **$2** each.

Wool Skirts ready made **$2.25** each.

Black Sateen Skirts, at **75c, $1, $1.25** and **$1.50** each.

Moreen Skirts at **$2.50, $2.90, $3.25** and **$3.90** each.

Moquette Rugs, at **90c, $1.90** and **$2.90** each.

Holiday Novelties.

We cannot begin to mention one-twentieth of the NOVELTIES we are showing. This whole paper wouldn't be large enough. We can simply mention a few of the thousand and one useful articles that we have on sale.

Photograph Medallions, at 25c, 50c, $1.00, and up to $6.50 each.

Bisc Figures and Vases at 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and up to $5.00 each.

Bohemian Glassware at 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and upwards.

Worcester, Wedgewood and Austrian Vases at 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 and up to $5.00 each.

Blue Delft Vases at 50c, $1.00, $1.25 and upwards.

Toilet Sets, with Art Enamel backs and Celluloid Cases, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and up to $10.00 each.

Gent's Traveling Cases, in leather, at 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $2.00, $2.50, $3.75, and up to $6.00 each.

Collar and Cuff Boxes and Shaving Sets, in fine Celluloid Cases, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, and up to $5.00 each.

Smoking Sets and Trays, at 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50 each.

Cigar Boxes and Cases, at 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50 each.

Photograph Albums, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, and $2.50 each.

Handkerchief, Glove and Necktie Boxes, at 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 each.

Jewel Boxes, at 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c and $1.00 each.

Bon Bon Dishes, in fine Porcelain, at 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 each.

Nut Pick Sets, at 25c, 35c and 50c each.

Atomizers, at 25c, 39c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 each.

Children's Plated Cups, Mugs and Sets, at 25c, 35c and 50c each.

Mirrors, at 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25 each.

Toy Novelties for Children, Noah's Ark and all the animals, sets of soldiers, sets of fancy robes, all at 25c the box.

The Immense Variety of HOLIDAY GOODS Now on Sale Makes the PEOPLE'S STORE the Great Attractive Trading Centre of Fort Wayne.

BOOKS.

The great SPECIALTY that we make of BOOKS at the HOLIDAY SEASON, is well known to the book buying public of Fort Wayne. Make your selection EARLY, while the stock is complete, and when you can get good and proper attention. We are now showing

BOOKS FOR CHILDREN.

With paper and board covers, shaped and square, at 5c, 10c, 15c, 19c, 25c, 35c, 39c and 50c.

Books for Everybody.

12mo. "Handy Volume Classics," 100 different titles, well bound with silk cloth, worth 25c, at 15c each.

12mo. "New Oxford Edition," bound in silk cloth, with gilt top; 300 different titles, worth 50c, at 25c each.

"Fireside" and "Alger Series" for boys and girls, splendid books, good titles, well bound, worth 75c, at 50c each.

16mo. Books, in beautiful, fancy bindings, and choice, well selected titles, suitable for GIFTS and XMAS presents; regular 50c and 75c books at 35c and 60c each.

A splendid line of BOOKLETS and CALENDARS from 5c upwards.

"International" and "Oxford" Teacher's Bibles, at 39c, 50c, 75c, 98c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00.

All the NEW BOOKS received by the BEST, WELL KNOWN AUTHORS; also all the STANDARD WORKS, at lower prices than you can buy them elsewhere.

DOLLS.

Our extensive assortment of Dolls for Christmas is NOW ON DISPLAY; we would suggest to the public to buy their Dolls early, while we have a full and complete stock to select from. We have JOINTED DOLLS at 10c, 15c, 25c, 50c.

KID BODY DOLLS at 25c, 35c, 39c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00.

The above with fine Bisc Heads, and movable and Stationary Eyes.

BISC DOLL HEADS at 25c, 35c, 50c and 75c each.

The best values in Dolls in the city.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

New Ties and Neckwear, latest shapes, at 25c and 50c.

SUSPENDERS—Embroidered, put up one pair in a box, at 25c and 50c.

MUFFLERS—In Silk and Cashmere, at 39c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 each.

Night Shirts, plain and embroidered, at 50c and 75c each.

Gloves in Cashmere and Worsted, at 25c and 50c pair.

Gloves in Kid, lined and unlined, at $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 pair.

CARDIGAN JACKETS—The best value you ever saw, at $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50 and $2.75 each.

LINEN DEPARTMENT.

TOWELS, in Damask, Huck and Oatmeal Linen, at 10c, 12½c, 15c, 25c, 39c and 50c.

Fine bleached Damask Table Linens, at 50c, 62½c, 75c, 87½c and $1.00 yard, with Napkins to match.

Fine Damask Table Sets, plain and hemstitched, at $4.50, $5.00, $6.50, $8.50 and $10 set.

Fine Damask Table Cloths in patterns at $1.00, $1.25, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.75.

Table Napkins by the dozen at 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00 and $3.75 each.

FINE BED SPREADS at 69c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 and up to $5.00 each.

TABLE COVERS—In Chenille and Tapestry, at 85c, 89c, $1.00 and up to $4.75 each.

Blankets and Comforts.

Blankets in White and Grey, at 50c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 and up to $6.50 pair.

Red Blankets at $2.50, $3.00, $3.75 pair.

COMFORTS at 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00 and up to $5.00 each.

PERFUMERY

Colgate Perfumes, all odors, 25c ounce.

Crown Perfumery, all odors, 50c ounce.

Fine Perfumes put up in fancy boxes, at 25c, 50c, 85c and $1.25 box.

SOAPS—Pears, Cuticura, White Rose, Woodbury's, Buttermilk, Bubeskin, Cashmere Bouquet, and all Colgates.

DRESS GOODS.

A new dress is always acceptable for a Christmas gift.

Novelty Dress Goods, at 25c, 35c, 39c, 50c, 75c and $1.00. The best values in the city. High class, imported, novelty Dress Patterns, from $5.00 to $15.00 a pattern.

Silks and Satins in all the bright shades, at 50c yard.

An Army of Clerks to Wait Upon You. Twenty Extra Ones Engaged for the Holiday Trade. Make Your Purchases as Early as Possible and Avoid the Great Rush of the Last Few Days. NOTICE--Store Now Open Every Evening Till Christmas.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE.